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THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Economic Community and in particular Article 113 thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the Community has accepted the extension of the Arrangement regarding international trade in textiles on the conditions laid down in the Protocol for the extension of the Arrangement and the conclusions adopted by the GATT Textiles Committee on 9 December 1992 and annexed to that Protocol;

Whereas the Community has negotiated an extension for three years of the existing agreements on trade in textile products with a number of supplier countries;

Whereas the agreements in question establish Community quantitative limits for 1993, 1994 and 1995;

Whereas the Community has negotiated new bilateral agreements and other arrangements with a number of supplier countries;

Whereas the Community has negotiated agreements in the form of Additional Protocols on trade in textile products to the Europe Agreements and/or the Interim Agreements, with a number of supplier countries;

Whereas it is necessary to ensure that the purpose or each of these agreements, protocols and other arrangements should not be evaded by deflection of trade; whereas it is therefore necessary to determine the way in which the origin of the products in question is checked and the methods by which the appropriate administrative cooperation is achieved;

Whereas compliance with the quantitative limits on exports established under the agreements and protocols is ensured by a double-checking system; whereas the effectiveness of these measures depends on the Community's establishing a set of Community quantitative limits to be applied to imports of all products from supplier countries whose exports are subject to quantitative limits;

Whereas products placed in a free zone or imported under the arrangements governing customs warehouses, temporary importation or inward processing (suspension system) should not be subject to such Community quantitative limits;

Whereas agreements concluded by the Community with certain third countries contain special provisions for imports of folklore and handloom products into the Community, and it is therefore necessary to lay down appropriate procedures for implementing their provisions;

Whereas provision should be made for special rules for products re-imported under the arrangements for economic outward processing and for the management of the relevant Community quantitative limits;

Whereas, in order to ensure that Community quantitative limits are not exceeded, it is necessary to establish a special management procedure whereby the competent authorities of the Member States will not issue import licences before obtaining prior confirmation from the

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Commission that there are still amounts available of the quantitative limit in question;

Whereas it is also necessary to introduce efficient and rapid procedures for altering Community quantitative limits and their allocation to take account of the development of trade flows, needs for additional imports and the Community's obligations under the agreements negotiated with supplier countries;

Whereas, in the case of products not subject to quantitative limits, the agreements provide for a consultation procedure whereby, in the event that the volume of imports of a given category of products into the Community exceeds a certain threshold, agreement can be reached with the supplier country on the introduction of quantitative limits; whereas the supplier countries also undertake to suspend or limit their exports from the date of a request for such consultations, at the level indicated by the Community; whereas if no agreement is reached with the supplier country within the period stipulated, the Community may introduce quantitative limits at a specific annual or multiannual level;

Whereas, in certain exceptional circumstances, it may be more appropriate for such quantitative limits to be applied at the regional level rather than at the Community level and it is therefore necessary to lay down efficient procedures for deciding upon appropriate measures which do not disrupt unduly the functioning of the internal market;

Whereas the agreements, protocols or arrangements with certain countries foresee the possibility for the Community to subject textiles and clothing imports to a system of surveillance and it is therefore necessary to lay down the administrative procedures for introducing and implementing such surveillance measures;

Whereas, as a result of the completion of the internal market for textiles and clothing products on 1 January 1993, Community quantitative limits are no longer broken down into Member States' shares; whereas the agreements with third countries provide for consultations in the event of any problems which may arise as a result of regional concentration of direct imports into the Community and it is necessary to lay down an effective procedure for implementing these provisions;

Whereas the agreements, protocols and other arrangements with certain third countries provide for a system of cooperation between the Community and the supplier countries with the aim of preventing circumvention by means of transshipment, rerouting or other means; whereas a consultation procedure is established under which an agreement can be reached with the supplier country in question on an equivalent adjustment to the relevant quantitative limit when it appears that the agreement has been circumvented; whereas supplier countries also agreed to take the necessary measures to ensure that any adjustments could be rapidly applied; whereas, in the absence of agreement with a supplier country within the time limit provided, the Community may, where clear evidence of circumvention is provided, apply the equivalent adjustment;

Whereas in order *inter alia* to comply with time limits set in the agreements it is necessary to lay down a rapid and efficient procedure for introducing such quantitative limits and concluding such agreements with the supplier countries;

Whereas the provisions of this Regulation must be applied in conformity with the Community's international obligations, in particular with those arising from the abovementioned agreements with supplier countries,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

**▼ B***Article 1***Scope****▼ M32**

1. Without prejudice to Article 2 (5) and to Article 13, this Regulation shall apply to imports of textile products listed in Annex I, originating in third countries with which the Community has concluded bilateral agreements, protocols or other arrangements as listed in Annex II. The relevant provisions of this Regulation shall also apply to imports of textile and clothing products originating in China in respect of Article 10a.

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2. For the purposes of paragraph 1, textile products falling within Section XI of the combined nomenclature shall be classified in categories as set out in Annex I.

3. The classification of products listed in Annex I shall be based on the combined nomenclature (CN), without prejudice to Article 2 (6). The procedures for the application of this paragraph are laid down in Annex III.

4. Subject to this Regulation, the importation into the Community of the textile products referred to in paragraph 1 shall not be subject to quantitative restrictions or measures having equivalent effect.

5. The origin of the products referred to in paragraph 1 shall be determined in accordance with the rules in force in the Community.

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6. The requirements regarding proof of origin of the products referred to in paragraph 1 shall be as laid down in Annex III and in the relevant Community legislation in force. However, proof of origin presented in accordance with the provisions of Regulation (EC) No 1541/98 may also be accepted in place of the proof of origin required by bilateral agreements, protocols or other arrangements which lay down more stringent requirements.

The procedures for verification of the origin of those products shall be as laid down in Annex IV and in the relevant Community legislation in force.

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8. By way of derogation from this Regulation, the import of the following textile products shall not be subject to quantitative restrictions, licensing or requirements regarding proof of origin:

- (a) Samples of textile products which are of negligible value and can be used only to solicit orders for goods of the type they represent with a view to their being imported into the customs territory of the Community. The competent authorities may require that certain articles, to qualify for the exemption, be rendered permanently unusable by being torn, perforated, or clearly and indelibly marked, or by any other process, provided such operation does not destroy their character as samples. 'Samples of textile products' means any article representing a type of goods whose manner of presentation and quantity, for goods of the same type or quality, rule out its use for any purpose other than that of seeking orders.
- (b) Representative samples of textile products manufactured outside the customs territory of the Community intended for a trade fair or similar event, provided that they
  - are identifiable as advertising samples of low unitary value;
  - are not easily marketable; or

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- in their total value and quantity, are appropriate to the nature of the exhibition, the number of visitors and the extent of the exhibitor's participation.

**▼ B***Article 2***Quantitative limits****▼ M4**

1. Importation into the Community of the textile products listed in Annex V originating in one of the supplier countries listed in that Annex shall be subject to the annual quantitative limits laid down in that Annex.

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2. The release for free circulation in the Community of imports subject to the quantitative limits referred to in Annex V shall be subject to the presentation of an import authorization issued by the Member States' authorities in accordance with Article 12.

3. The authorized imports shall be charged against the quantitative limits laid down for the year in which the products are shipped in the supplier country concerned. For the purposes of this Regulation, shipment of products shall be considered as having taken place on the date on which they were loaded onto the exporting means of transport.

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5. The release for free circulation of products the importation of which was subject to quantitative limits before 1 January 2005, as listed in Annexes Va and VIIa and which were shipped before that date shall continue, until 31 March 2005, to be subject to the presentation of an import authorisation that shall be issued under the import regime in force before 1 January 2005. Shipment of the goods shall be considered to have taken place on the date of their loading in the country of origin on to the exporting aircraft, vehicle or vessel.

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6. The definition of quantitative limits laid down in Annex V and the categories of products to which they apply shall be adapted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17, where this proves necessary to ensure that any subsequent amendment to the combined nomenclature (CN) or any decision amending the classification of such products does not result in a reduction of such quantitative limits.

7. In order to ensure that quantities for which import authorizations are issued shall not exceed at any moment the total Community quantitative limits for each textile category and each third country concerned, the competent authorities shall issue import authorizations only upon confirmation by the Commission that there are still quantities available of the total Community quantitative limits for the categories of textile products and for the third countries concerned, for which an importer or importers have submitted applications with the said authorities.

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8. At the request of the Member State concerned, textile products in the possession of the competent authorities of that Member State, particularly in the context of bankruptcy or similar procedures, for which a valid import authorisation is no longer available, may be released into free circulation in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17(2).

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9. The release for free circulation in one of the new Member States acceding to the European Union on 1 January 2007, namely Romania

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and Bulgaria, of textile products which are subject to quantitative limits or to surveillance in the Community and which have been shipped before 1 January 2007 and enter the two new Member States on or after 1 January 2007 shall be subject to presentation of an import authorisation. Such import authorisation shall be granted automatically and without quantitative limitation by the competent authorities of the Member State concerned, upon adequate proof, such as the bill of lading, that the products have been shipped before 1 January 2007.

Such licences shall be communicated to the Commission.

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10. The release for free circulation in one of the two new Member States acceding to the European Union on 1 January 2007, namely Bulgaria and Romania, of textile products which are subject to quantitative limits or to surveillance in the Community and which have been shipped before 1 January 2007 and enter the two new Member States on or after 1 January 2007 shall be subject to presentation of an import authorisation. Such import authorisation shall be granted automatically and without quantitative limitation by the competent authorities of the Member State concerned, upon adequate proof, such as the bill of lading, that the products have been shipped before 1 January 2007.

Such licences shall be communicated to the Commission.

**▼ B***Article 3***Folklore and handloom products****▼ M13**

1. The quantitative limits referred to in Annex V shall not apply to the cottage industry and folklore products specified in Annex VI which are accompanied on import by a certificate issued by the competent authorities of the country of origin in accordance with the provisions of Annex VI and which fulfil the other conditions laid down therein.

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2. The release for free circulation in the Community of the textile products referred to in paragraph 1 shall be granted only for those products covered by an import document issued by the competent authorities of the Member States, provided that similar machine-made products are subject to quantitative limits.

The said import document shall be issued automatically within a maximum of five working days from the date of presentation by the importer of the certificate referred to in paragraph 1 issued by the competent authorities of the supplier country.

The import document shall be valid for six months and shall state the grounds for exemption as given in the certificate referred to in paragraph 1.

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**▼ B***Article 4***Temporary imports**

1. The quantitative limits referred to in Annex V shall not apply to products placed in a free zone or imported under the arrangements

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governing customs warehouses, temporary importation or inward processing (suspension system) <sup>(1)</sup>.

Where the products referred to in the preceding subparagraph are subsequently released for free circulation, either in the unaltered state or after working or processing, Article 2 (2) shall apply and the products so released shall be charged against the quantitative limits established for the year for which the export licence was issued.

2. Where the authorities in the Member States establish that imports of textile products have been charged against a quantitative limit laid down in Annex V and that these products have subsequently been re-exported outside the customs territory of the Community, they shall inform the Commission within four weeks of the quantities concerned, which shall be recredited to the quantitative limits provided for in Annex V and used in accordance with the provisions of Article 12.

*Article 5***Outward processing**

Subject to the conditions laid down in Annex VII, re-imports into the Community of textile products after processing in the countries listed in that Annex shall not be subject to the quantitative limits referred to in Annex V, provided that they are effected in accordance with the Regulations on economic outward processing in force in the Community.

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The release for free circulation of textile products sent from one of the Member States acceding to the European Union on 1 January 2007 to a destination outside the Community for processing before 1 January 2007, and re-imported into the same Member State on or after that date, shall upon adequate proof, such as the export declaration, not be subject to quantitative limits or import authorisation requirements. The competent authorities of the Member State concerned shall provide information on those imports to the Commission.

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The release for free circulation of textile products sent from one of the two new Member States acceding to the European Union on 1 January 2007 to a destination outside the Community for processing before 1 January 2007, and re-imported into the same Member State on or after that date, shall upon adequate proof, such as the export declaration, not be subject to quantitative limits or import authorisation requirements. The competent authorities of the Member State concerned shall provide information on those imports to the Commission.

**▼B***Article 6***Prices**

1. In accordance with the relevant provisions of the bilateral arrangements with the supplier countries concerned, where imports into the Community of textile products listed in Annex I are effected at abnormally low prices, the Commission acting on its own initiative or at the request of a Member State, may request consultations with the authorities of the supplier country in question in accordance with Article 16.

2. Measures destined to remedy this situation shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17, due respect

<sup>(1)</sup> See, however, Appendix A to Annex V concerning category 33 products imported from China, for which an import authorization is required.

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being given to the terms and conditions contained in the relevant bilateral agreements.

**▼ M32***Article 7***Flexibility provisions**

Provided they notify the Commission in advance, supplier countries may effect transfers between the quantitative limits listed in Annexes V and Va to the extent and subject to the conditions stipulated in Annexes VIII and VIIIa.

**▼ M13***Article 8***Additional imports**

Where, under particular circumstances, imports over and above those referred to in Annex V are required in respect of one or more categories of products, additional opportunities for imports during a given quota year may be granted by the Commission in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17.

Where such additional opportunities are granted following over-licensing by the authorities of a supplier country, this shall be subject to the deduction of an amount corresponding to the additional amount from the quantitative limit:

- of one or more categories of products belonging to the same group or subgroup of products for the current quota year (provided that such an amount does not exceed 3 % of the quantitative limit for the category for which the additional opportunities are granted) and/or
- of the same category of products for the following quota year.

In an emergency, the Commission shall open consultations in the Committee set up pursuant to Article 17 within five working days following receipt of a request from a Member State and shall take a decision within 15 working days calculated from the same date.

These additional opportunities for imports shall not be taken into account for the purpose of applying Article 7.

**▼ M32****▼ M4***Article 10***Safeguard measures**

1. Should imports into the Community of products falling within any given category, not subject to the quantitative limits set out in Annex V and originating in one of the countries listed in Annex IX exceed, in relation to the preceding calendar year's total imports into the Community of products in the same category, the percentages indicated in the Table appearing in Annex IX, such imports may be made subject to quantitative limits under the conditions laid down in this Article.

2. Paragraph 1 shall not apply where the percentages specified therein have been reached as a result of a fall in total imports into the Community, and not as a result of an increase in exports of products originating in the supplier country concerned.

3. Where the Commission, upon its own initiative or at the request of a Member State, considers that the conditions set out in paragraph 1 are fulfilled and that a given category of products should be made subject to a quantitative limit:

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- (a) it shall open consultations with the supplier country concerned in accordance with the procedure specified in Article 16 with a view to reaching an arrangement or joint conclusions on a suitable level of restriction for the category or products in question;
- (b) pending a mutually satisfactory solution, the Commission shall, as a general rule, request the supplier country concerned to limit exports of the products in the category concerned to the Community, for a provisional period of three months from the date on which the request for consultations is made. Such provisional limit shall be established at 25 % of the level of imports during the previous calendar year, or 25 % of the level resulting from the application of the formula set out in paragraph 1, whichever is the higher;
- (c) it may, pending the outcome of the requested consultations, apply to the imports of the category of products in question quantitative limits identical to those requested of the supplier country pursuant to point (b). These measures shall be without prejudice to the definitive arrangements to be made by the Community, taking into account the results of the consultations.

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- 7. ► M32 (a) Measures taken pursuant to paragraph 3 shall be subject to a Commission communication published without delay in the *Official Journal of the European Union*. ◀  
 (b) The Commission shall refer urgent cases to the Committee provided for in Article 17 either at its own initiative or within five working days of receipt of a request from a Member State or States setting out the reasons for the urgency and shall take a decision within five working days of the end of the Committee's deliberation.
- 8. ► M32 The consultations with the supplier country concerned which are provided for in paragraph 3 may lead to an arrangement between that country and the Community, on the introduction and the level of quantitative limits. ◀ Such arrangements shall stipulate that the quantitative limits agreed be administered in accordance with a double-checking system.
- 9. Should the parties be unable to reach a satisfactory solution within 60 days following notification of the request for consultations, the Community shall have the right to introduce a definitive quantitative limit at an annual level not lower than:
  - (a) in the case of supplier countries listed in Annex IX, the level resulting from the application of the formula set out in paragraph 1 or 106 % of the level of imports reached during the calendar year preceding that in which imports exceeded the level resulting from the application of the formula set out in paragraph 1 and gave rise to the request for consultations, whichever is the higher.

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- 11. The quantitative limits established pursuant to this Article shall not apply to products which have already been dispatched to the Community provided that they were shipped from the supplier country in which they originate for export to the Community before the date of notification of the request for consultations.

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- 13. Measures provided for in paragraphs 3 and 9 of this Article shall be adopted and implemented in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17.

▼ M28*Article 10a***Special safeguard provisions for China**

1. Should imports into the Community of textiles and apparel products originating in China and covered by the (ATC) threaten to impede, owing to market disruption, the orderly development of trade in those products, such imports may, during the period ending on 31 December 2008, be made subject to specific safeguard measures under the following conditions:

- (a) The Commission — acting at the request of a Member State or on its own initiative — shall open consultations with China with a view to easing or avoiding such market disruption. The request for consultation shall provide China with a detailed factual statement of reasons and justifications for the request, with current data showing the existence or threat of market disruption and the role of products of Chinese origin in that disruption. Consultations shall be commenced within 30 days of receipt of the request, the consultation period lasting 90 days from such receipt, unless extended by mutual agreement.

Upon receipt of the request for consultations China shall, during the period of consultation, hold its shipments to the Community of textile or textile products in the category or categories subject to the consultations, at a level no greater than 7,5 % (6 % for wool product categories) above the amount entered during the first 12 months of the most recent 14 months preceding the month in which the request for consultations was made.

- (b) The Commission may, if no mutually satisfactory solution is reached during the 90-day consultation period, establish a quantitative limit for the category or categories subject to the consultations. The quantitative limit shall be set up on the basis of the level at which China held its shipments upon receipt of the Community's request for consultation. The term of this quantitative limit shall be effective for a period ending on 31 December of the year in which consultations were requested, or, where three months or less remained in the year at the time of the request for consultations, for a period ending 12 months after the request for consultations. Consultations with China shall be continued during the term of the quantitative limit set up under this provision.
- (c) No action taken under this paragraph shall remain in effect beyond one year without reapplication, unless otherwise agreed between the Community and China. Measures shall not be applied to the same product at the same time under this paragraph and the provisions of Section 16 of the Protocol on the Accession of China to the WTO. Measures taken pursuant to point (b) shall be the subject of a Commission communication published without delay in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

2. The quantitative limits established pursuant to this Article shall not apply to products which have already been dispatched to the Community provided that they were shipped from the supplier country in which they originate for export to the Community before the date of notification of the request for consultations.

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2a. The imports of textile and clothing products covered in Annex I originating in China as indicated in table B of Annex III are subject to a system of single prior surveillance in accordance with Article 13 and Part IV of Annex III. The requirement for the issuance of a surveillance document shall not apply to textile and clothing products for which an import authorisation is issued pursuant to Article 2(5). This prior surveillance system will be lifted once the ex-post customs-based surveillance system set up under Article 13 is fully operational. Decisions to terminate the prior surveillance system and to amend table B of Annex III shall be taken in accordance with Article 17.

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3. The measures provided for in this Article, including opening of consultations as provided for in paragraph 1(a), shall be adopted and implemented in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17.

**▼M32****▼B***Article 12***Specific rules for administration of Community quantitative limits**

1. For the purpose of applying Article 2 (2), the competent authorities of the Member States, before issuing import authorizations, shall notify the Commission of the amounts of the requests for import authorizations, supported by original export certificates, which they have received. By return the Commission shall notify its confirmation that the requested amount(s) of quantities are available for importation in the chronological order in which the notifications of the Member States have been received ('first come, first served' basis). However, in exceptional cases where there is reason to believe that anticipated requests for import authorizations may exceed the quantitative limits, the Commission, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17, may limit the amount to be allocated on the 'first come, first served' basis to 90 % of the quantitative limits in question. In such cases, as soon as this level has been reached, the allocation of the remainder shall be decided in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17.

2. The requests included in the notifications to the Commission shall be valid if they establish clearly in each case the supplier third country, the category of textile products concerned, the amounts to be imported, the number of the export licence, the quota year and the Member State in which the products are intended to be put into free circulation.

3. Normally the notifications referred to in the previous paragraphs of this Article shall be communicated electronically within the integrated network set up for this purpose, unless for imperative technical reasons it is necessary to use other means of communication temporarily.

4. As far as possible, the Commission shall confirm to the authorities the full amount indicated in the requests notified for each category of products and each third country concerned. Notifications presented by Member States for which no confirmation can be given because the amounts requested are no longer available within the Community quantitative limit, will be stored by the Commission in the chronological order in which they have been received and confirmed in the same order as soon as further amounts become available, for example through the application of flexibilities foreseen in Article 7. Moreover the Commission shall contact the authorities of the supplier country concerned immediately in cases where requests notified exceed the quantitative limits in order to seek clarification and a rapid solution.

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5. The competent authorities shall notify the Commission immediately after being informed of any quantity that is not used during the duration of validity of the import authorisation or at the time of its expiry. Such unused quantities shall automatically be transferred into the remaining quantities of the total Community quantitative limit for each category of product and each third country concerned.

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6. The import authorizations or equivalent documents shall be issued in accordance with Annex III.

7. The competent authorities of the Member States shall notify the Commission of any cancellation of import authorizations or equivalent documents already issued in cases where the corresponding export

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licences have been withdrawn or cancelled by the competent authorities in the supplier countries. However, if the Commission or the competent authorities of a Member State have been informed by the competent authorities of a supplier country of the withdrawal or cancellation of an export licence after the related products have been imported into the Community, the quantities in question shall be set off against the quantitative limits for the year during which shipment of products took place.

8. The Commission may, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17, take any measure necessary to implement this Article.

*Article 13***Surveillance****▼M32**

1. Where, in accordance with the relevant provisions of an agreement, protocol or other arrangement between the Community and a third country, or in order to monitor the trends of imports of products originating in a third country, a system of surveillance a priori or a posteriori is introduced on a category of products referred to in Annex I which is not subject to the quantitative limits listed in Annex V, the procedures and formalities concerning single and double checking, economic outward processing, classification and certification of origin shall be those laid down in Annex III and IV.

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2. The categories of products and the third countries currently subject to surveillance, in accordance with paragraph 1, are listed in the tables in Annex III.

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3. The decision to impose the surveillance system on categories of products or on supplier countries not listed in the tables in Annex III shall be taken, when applicable, in accordance with the relevant provisions regarding consultations contained in the agreement, protocol or other arrangements with the third country in question.

The Commission shall decide to introduce an a priori or an a posteriori surveillance system. Decisions to impose *the a priori* surveillance system as well as any other measures needed to implement this system, shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17.

**▼B***Article 15***Circumvention****▼M32**

1. Where, following the enquiries carried out in accordance with the procedures established in Annex IV, the Commission finds that the information in its possession constitutes proof that products originating in a supplier country listed in Annex V and being subject to the quantitative limits referred to in Article 2 or introduced pursuant to Articles 10 or 10a have been trans-shipped, re-routed or otherwise imported into the Community through circumvention of such quantitative limits and that there is a need for the necessary adjustments to be made, it shall request that consultations be opened, in accordance with the procedure described in Article 17, so that agreement may be reached on an equivalent adjustment of the corresponding quantitative limits.

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2. Pending the outcome of the consultations referred to in paragraph 1, the Commission may ask the supplier country concerned to take the necessary precautionary steps to ensure that adjustments to the quantitative limits agreed following such consultations may be carried out for the year in which the request for consultations was lodged or for the following year, if the quantitative limits for the current year is exhausted, where there is clear evidence of circumvention.

3. If the Community and the supplier country fail to arrive at a satisfactory solution within the period stipulated in Article 16 and if the Commission notes that there is clear evidence of circumvention, it shall, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17, deduct from the quantitative limits an equivalent volume of products originating in the supplier country concerned.

4. In accordance with the provisions of the protocols and certain bilateral agreements concluded with third countries, where sufficient evidence shows that a false declaration concerning fibre content, quantities, description or classification of products originating in the countries concerned has occurred, the Community authorities may refuse to import the products in question.

Furthermore, should it appear that the territory of any of these countries is involved in transshipment or re-routing of products not originating in that country, the Commission may introduce quantitative limits against the same products originating in that same country, if they are not already subject to quantitative limits, or it may take any other appropriate measures.

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5. In addition, where there is evidence of the involvement of the territories of third countries which are Members of the WTO but which are not listed in Annex V, the Commission shall request consultations with the third country or countries concerned in accordance with the procedure described in Article 16 in order to take appropriate action to address the problem. The Commission, in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17, may introduce quantitative limits against the third country or countries concerned or it may take any other appropriate measures.

**▼B***Article 16***Consultations****▼M13**

1. The Commission, in accordance with the procedure laid down in ►M23 Article 17a ◄, shall conduct the consultations referred to in this Regulation in accordance with the following rules:

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- the Commission shall notify the supplier country concerned of the request for consultations,
- the request for consultations shall be followed within a reasonable period (and in any case not later than 15 days following the notification) by a statement setting out the reasons and circumstances which, in the Community's opinion, justify the submission of such a request,
- the Commission shall initiate consultations, within one month at the latest of notification of the request, with a view to reaching agreement or a mutually acceptable conclusion within one further month at the latest.

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**▼ M23***Article 17***The textile committee**

1. The Commission shall be assisted by a committee (hereinafter referred to as the 'textile committee').
2. Where reference is made to this paragraph, Articles 5 and 7 of Decision 1999/468/EC shall apply.

The period laid down in Article 5(6) of Decision 1999/468/EC shall be set at one month.

3. The textile committee shall adopt its rules of procedure.

*Article 17a*

The chairman may, on his own initiative or at the request of one of the Member States representatives, consult the textile committee about any other matter relating to the operation or application of this Regulation.

**▼ B***Article 18***Final provisions**

The Member States shall inform the Commission forthwith of all measures taken pursuant to this Regulation and of all laws, regulations or administrative provisions concerning arrangements for importation of the products covered by this Regulation.

*Article 19*

Amendments to the Annexes to this Regulation which may be necessary to take into account the conclusion, amendment or expiry of agreements, protocols or arrangements with third countries or amendments made to Community rules on statistics, customs arrangements or common rules for imports shall be adopted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17.

**▼ M32***Article 20*

This Regulation shall not prejudice the provisions of the bilateral agreements, protocols or arrangements between the Community and the third countries listed in Annex II.

**▼ B***Article 21*

Regulation (EEC) No 958/93 is hereby repealed, except for its transitional provisions applicable until 31 March 1993.

**▼ M32***Article 21a*

References to Annexes V, VII and VIII are deemed to cover also, where appropriate, Annexes Va, VIIa and VIIIa.

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*Article 22*

This Regulation shall enter into force on the day following that of its publication in the *Official Journal of the European Communities*.

It shall apply from 1 January 1993.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

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## ANNEX I

## TEXTILE PRODUCTS REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 1 (1)

1. Without prejudice to the rules for the interpretation of the combined nomenclature, the wording of the description of goods is considered to be of indicative value only, since the products covered by each category are determined, within this Annex, by CN codes. Where there is an 'ex' symbol in front of a CN code, the products covered in each category are determined by the scope of the CN code and by that of the corresponding description.
2. When the constitutive material of the products of categories 1 to 114 originating in China is not specifically mentioned, these products shall be taken to be made exclusively of wool or of fine animal hair, of cotton or of man-made fibres.
3. Garments which are not recognizable as being garments for men or boys or as being garments for women or girls are classified with the latter.
4. Where the expression 'babies' garments' is used, this is meant to cover garments up to and including commercial size 86.

Category	Description CN-Code 2009	Table of equivalence	
		pieces/kg	g/piece
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)

## GROUP I A

1	Cotton yarn, not put up for retail sale 5204 11 00 5204 19 00 5205 11 00 5205 12 00 5205 13 00 5205 14 00 5205 15 10 5205 15 90 5205 21 00 5205 22 00 5205 23 00 5205 24 00 5205 26 00 5205 27 00 5205 28 00 5205 31 00 5205 32 00 5205 33 00 5205 34 00 5205 35 00 5205 41 00 5205 42 00 5205 43 00 5205 44 00 5205 46 00 5205 47 00 5205 48 00 5206 11 00 5206 12 00 5206 13 00 5206 14 00 5206 15 00 5206 21 00 5206 22 00 5206 23 00 5206 24 00 5206 25 00 5206 31 00 5206 32 00 5206 33 00 5206 34 00 5206 35 00 5206 41 00 5206 42 00 5206 43 00 5206 44 00 5206 45 00 ex 5604 90 90		
2	Woven fabrics of cotton, other than gauze, terry fabrics, narrow woven fabrics, pile fabrics, chenille fabrics, tulle and other net fabrics 5208 11 10 5208 11 90 5208 12 16 5208 12 19 5208 12 96 5208 12 99 5208 13 00 5208 19 00 5208 21 10 5208 21 90 5208 22 16 5208 22 19 5208 22 96 5208 22 99 5208 23 00 5208 29 00 5208 31 00 5208 32 16 5208 32 19 5208 32 96 5208 32 99 5208 33 00 5208 39 00 5208 41 00 5208 42 00 5208 43 00 5208 49 00 5208 51 00 5208 52 00 5208 59 10 5208 59 90 5209 11 00 5209 12 00 5209 19 00 5209 21 00 5209 22 00 5209 29 00 5209 31 00 5209 32 00 5209 39 00 5209 41 00 5209 42 00 5209 43 00 5209 49 00 5209 51 00 5209 52 00 5209 59 00 5210 11 00 5210 19 00 5210 21 00 5210 29 00 5210 31 00 5210 32 00 5210 39 00 5210 41 00 5210 49 00 5210 51 00 5210 59 00 5211 11 00 5211 12 00 5211 19 00 5211 20 00 5211 31 00 5211 32 00 5211 39 00 5211 41 00 5211 42 00 5211 43 00 5211 49 10 5211 49 90 5211 51 00 5211 52 00 5211 59 00 5212 11 10 5212 11 90 5212 12 10 5212 12 90 5212 13 10 5212 13 90 5212 14 10 5212 14 90 5212 15 10 5212 15 90 5212 21 10 5212 21 90 5212 22 10 5212 22 90 5212 23 10 5212 23 90 5212 24 10 5212 24 90 5212 25 10 5212 25 90 ex 5811 00 00 ex 6308 00 00		
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(1) N.B.: Covers only categories 1 to 114, with the exception of Belarus, Russian Federation, Uzbekistan and Serbia, for which categories 1 to 161 are covered.

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
3	Woven fabrics of synthetic fibres (discontinuous or waste) other than narrow woven fabrics, pile fabrics ( incl. terry fabrics) and chenille fabrics 5512 11 00 5512 19 10 5512 19 90 5512 21 00 5512 29 10 5512 29 90 5512 91 00 5512 99 10 5512 99 90 5513 11 20 5513 11 90 5513 12 00 5513 13 00 5513 19 00 5513 21 00 5513 23 10 5513 23 90 5513 29 00 5513 31 00 5513 39 00 5513 41 00 5513 49 00 5514 11 00 5514 12 00 5514 19 10 5514 19 90 5514 21 00 5514 22 00 5514 23 00 5514 29 00 5514 30 10 5514 30 30 5514 30 50 5514 30 90 5514 41 00 5514 42 00 5514 43 00 5514 49 00 5515 11 10 5515 11 30 5515 11 90 5515 12 10 5515 12 30 5515 12 90 5515 13 11 5515 13 19 5515 13 91 5515 13 99 5515 19 10 5515 19 30 5515 19 90 5515 21 10 5515 21 30 5515 21 90 5515 22 11 5515 22 19 5515 22 91 5515 22 99 5515 29 00 5515 91 10 5515 91 30 5515 91 90 5515 99 20 5515 99 40 5515 99 80 ex 5803 00 90 ex 5905 00 70 ex 6308 00 00		
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<b>GROUP I B</b>			
4	Shirts, T-shirts, lightweight fine knit roll, polo or turtle necked jumpers and pullovers (other than of wool or fine animal hair), undervests and the like, knitted or crocheted 6105 10 00 6105 20 10 6105 20 90 6105 90 10 6109 10 00 6109 90 20 6110 20 10 6110 30 10	6,48	154
5	Jerseys, pullovers, slip-overs, waistcoats, twinsets, cardigans, bed-jackets and jumpers (others than jackets and blazers), anoraks, wind-cheaters, waister jackets and the like, knitted or crocheted ex 6101 90 80 6101 20 90 6101 30 90 6102 10 90 6102 20 90 6102 30 90 6110 11 10 6110 11 30 6110 11 90 6110 12 10 6110 12 90 6110 19 10 6110 19 90 6110 20 91 6110 20 99 6110 30 91 6110 30 99	4,53	221
6	Men's or boys' woven breeches, shorts other than swimwear and trousers (incl. slacks); women's or girls' woven trousers and slacks, of wool, of cotton or of man made fibres; lower parts of track suits with lining, others than category 16 or 29, of cotton or of man-made fibres 6203 41 10 6203 41 90 6203 42 31 6203 42 33 6203 42 35 6203 42 90 6203 43 19 6203 43 90 6203 49 19 6203 49 50 6204 61 10 6204 62 31 6204 62 33 6204 62 39 6204 63 18 6204 69 18 6211 32 42 6211 33 42 6211 42 42 6211 43 42	1,76	568
7	Women's or girls' blouses, shirts and shirt-blouses, whether or not knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or man-made fibres 6106 10 00 6106 20 00 6106 90 10 6206 20 00 6206 30 00 6206 40 00	5,55	180
8	Men's or boys' shirts, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, cotton or man-made fibres ex 6205 90 80 6205 20 00 6205 30 00	4,60	217
<b>GROUP II A</b>			
9	Terry towelling and similar woven terry fabrics of cotton; toilet linen and kitchen linen, other than knitted or crocheted, of terry towelling and woven terry fabrics, of cotton 5802 11 00 5802 19 00 ex 6302 60 00		
20	Bed linen, other than knitted or crocheted 6302 21 00 6302 22 90 6302 29 90 6302 31 00 6302 32 90 6302 39 90		
22	Yarn of staple or waste synthetic fibres, not put up for retail sale 5508 10 10 5509 11 00 5509 12 00 5509 21 00 5509 22 00 5509 31 00 5509 32 00 5509 41 00 5509 42 00 5509 51 00 5509 52 00 5509 53 00 5509 59 00 5509 61 00 5509 62 00 5509 69 00 5509 91 00 5509 92 00 5509 99 00		
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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
23	Yarn of staple or waste artificial fibres, not put up for retail sale 5508 20 10 5510 11 00 5510 12 00 5510 20 00 5510 30 00 5510 90 00		
32	Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics (other than terry towelling or terry fabrics of cotton and narrow woven fabrics) and tufted textile surfaces, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres 5801 10 00 5801 21 00 5801 22 00 5801 23 00 5801 24 00 5801 25 00 5801 26 00 5801 31 00 5801 32 00 5801 33 00 5801 34 00 5801 35 00 5801 36 00 5802 20 00 5802 30 00		
32 a)	Of which: Cotton corduroy 5801 22 00		
39	Table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen, other than knitted or crocheted, other than of terry towelling or a similar terry fabrics of cotton 6302 51 00 6302 53 90 ex 6302 59 90 6302 91 00 6302 93 90 ex 6302 99 90		
<b>GROUP II B</b>			
12	Panty-hose and tights, stockings, understockings, socks, ankle-socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, other than for babies, including stockings for varicose veins, other than products of category 70 6115 10 10 ex 6115 10 90 6115 22 00 6115 29 00 6115 30 11 6115 30 90 6115 94 00 6115 95 00 6115 96 10 6115 96 99 6115 99 00	24,3 pairs	41
13	Men's or boys' underpants and briefs, women's or girls' knickers and briefs, knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres 6107 11 00 6107 12 00 6107 19 00 6108 21 00 6108 22 00 6108 29 00 ex 6212 10 10	17	59
14	Men's or boys' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres (other than parkas) (of category 21) 6201 11 00 ex 6201 12 10 ex 6201 12 90 ex 6201 13 10 ex 6201 13 90 6210 20 00	0,72	1 389
15	Women's or girls' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes; jackets and blazers, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres (other than parkas) (of category 21) 6202 11 00 ex 6202 12 10 ex 6202 12 90 ex 6202 13 10 ex 6202 13 90 6204 31 00 6204 32 90 6204 33 90 6204 39 19 6210 30 00	0,84	1 190
16	Men's or boys' suits and ensembles, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres, excluding ski suits; men's or boys' track suits with lining, with an outer shell of a single identical fabric, of cotton or of man-made fibres 6203 11 00 6203 12 00 6203 19 10 6203 19 30 6203 22 80 6203 23 80 6203 29 18 6203 29 30 6211 32 31 6211 33 31	0,80	1 250
17	Men's or boys' jackets or blazers, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres 6203 31 00 6203 32 90 6203 33 90 6203 39 19	1,43	700
18	Men's or boys' singlets and other vests, underpants, briefs, nightshirts, pyjamas, bathrobes, dressing gowns and similar articles, other than knitted or crocheted 6207 11 00 6207 19 00 6207 21 00 6207 22 00 6207 29 00 6207 91 00 6207 99 10 6207 99 90 Women's or girls' singlets and other vests, slips, petticoats, briefs, panties, night-dresses, pyjamas, négligees, bathrobes, dressing gowns and similar articles, other than knitted or crocheted 6208 11 00 6208 19 00 6208 21 00 6208 22 00 6208 29 00 6208 91 00 6208 92 00 6208 99 00 ex 6212 10 10		
19	Handkerchiefs, other than knitted or crocheted 6213 20 00 ex 6213 90 00	59	17

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
21	<p>Parkas; anoraks, windcheaters, waister jackets and the like, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres; upper parts of tracksuits with lining, other than categories 16 or 29, of cotton or of man-made fibres</p> <p>ex 6201 12 10 ex 6201 12 90 ex 6201 13 10 ex 6201 13 90 6201 91 00 6201 92 00 6201 93 00 ex 6202 12 10 ex 6202 12 90 ex 6202 13 10 ex 6202 13 90 6202 91 00 6202 92 00 6202 93 00 6211 32 41 6211 33 41 6211 42 41 6211 43 41</p>	2,3	435
24	<p>Men's or boys' nightshirts, pyjamas, bathrobes, dressing gowns and similar articles, knitted or crocheted</p> <p>6107 21 00 6107 22 00 6107 29 00 6107 91 00 ex 6107 99 00</p> <p>Women's or girls' night-dresses, pyjamas, négligees, bathrobes, dressing gowns and similar articles, knitted or crocheted</p> <p>6108 31 00 6108 32 00 6108 39 00 6108 91 00 6108 92 00 ex 6108 99 00</p>	3,9	257
26	<p>Women's or girls' dresses, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres</p> <p>6104 41 00 6104 42 00 6104 43 00 6104 44 00 6204 41 00 6204 42 00 6204 43 00 6204 44 00</p>	3,1	323
27	<p>Women's or girls' skirts, including divided skirts</p> <p>6104 51 00 6104 52 00 6104 53 00 6104 59 00 6204 51 00 6204 52 00 6204 53 00 6204 59 10</p>	2,6	385
28	<p>Trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear), knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres</p> <p>6103 41 00 6103 42 00 6103 43 00 ex 6103 49 00 6104 61 00 6104 62 00 6104 63 00 ex 6104 69 00</p>	1,61	620
29	<p>Women's or girls' suits and ensembles, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres, excluding ski suits; women's or girls' track suits with lining, with an outer shell of an identical fabric, of cotton or of man-made fibres</p> <p>6204 11 00 6204 12 00 6204 13 00 6204 19 10 6204 21 00 6204 22 80 6204 23 80 6204 29 18 6211 42 31 6211 43 31</p>	1,37	730
31	<p>Brassières, woven, knitted or crocheted</p> <p>ex 6212 10 10 6212 10 90</p>	18,2	55
68	<p>Babies' garments and clothing accessories, excluding babies' gloves, mittens and mitts of categories 10 and 87, and babies' stockings, socks and sockettes, other than knitted or crocheted, of category 88</p> <p>6111 90 19 6111 20 90 6111 30 90 ex 6111 90 90 ex 6209 90 10 ex 6209 20 00 ex 6209 30 00 ex 6209 90 90</p>		
73	<p>Track suits of knitted or crocheted fabric, of wool, of cotton or of man-made textile fibres</p> <p>6112 11 00 6112 12 00 6112 19 00</p>	1,67	600
76	<p>Men's or boys' industrial or occupational clothing, other than knitted or crocheted</p> <p>6203 22 10 6203 23 10 6203 29 11 6203 32 10 6203 33 10 6203 39 11 6203 42 11 6203 42 51 6203 43 11 6203 43 31 6203 49 11 6203 49 31 6211 32 10 6211 33 10</p> <p>Women's or girls' aprons, smock overalls and other industrial or occupational clothing, other than knitted or crocheted</p> <p>6204 22 10 6204 23 10 6204 29 11 6204 32 10 6204 33 10 6204 39 11 6204 62 11 6204 62 51 6204 63 11 6204 63 31 6204 69 11 6204 69 31 6211 42 10 6211 43 10</p>		
77	<p>Ski suits, other than knitted or crocheted</p> <p>ex 6211 20 00</p>		
78	<p>Garments, other than knitted or crocheted, excluding garments of categories 6, 7, 8, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 26, 27, 29, 68, 72, 76 and 77</p> <p>6203 41 30 6203 42 59 6203 43 39 6203 49 39 6204 61 85 6204 62 59 6204 62 90 6204 63 39 6204 63 90 6204 69 39 6204 69 50 6210 40 00 6210 50 00 6211 32 90 6211 33 90 ex 6211 39 00 6211 41 00 6211 42 90 6211 43 90</p>		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
83	Overcoats, jackets, blazers and other garments, including ski suits, knitted or crocheted, excluding garments of categories 4, 5, 7, 13, 24, 26, 27, 28, 68, 69, 72, 73, 74, 75 ex 6101 90 20 6101 20 10 6101 30 10 6102 10 10 6102 20 10 6102 30 10 6103 31 00 6103 32 00 6103 33 00 ex 6103 39 00 6104 31 00 6104 32 00 6104 33 00 ex 6104 39 00 6112 20 00 6113 00 90 6114 20 00 6114 30 00 ex 6114 90 00		
<b>GROUP III A</b>			
33	Woven fabrics of synthetic filament yarn obtained from strip or the like of polyethylene or polypropylene, less than 3 m wide 5407 20 11 Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, not knitted or crocheted, obtained from strip or the like 6305 32 19 6305 33 90		
34	Woven fabrics of synthetic filament yarn obtained from strip or the like of polyethylene or polypropylene, 3 m or more wide 5407 20 19		
35	Woven fabrics of synthetic fibres (continuous), other than those for tyres of category 114 5407 10 00 5407 20 90 5407 30 00 5407 41 00 5407 42 00 5407 43 00 5407 44 00 5407 51 00 5407 52 00 5407 53 00 5407 54 00 5407 61 10 5407 61 30 5407 61 50 5407 61 90 5407 69 10 5407 69 90 5407 71 00 5407 72 00 5407 73 00 5407 74 00 5407 81 00 5407 82 00 5407 83 00 5407 84 00 5407 91 00 5407 92 00 5407 93 00 5407 94 00 ex 5811 00 00 ex 5905 00 70		
35 a)	Of which: Other than unbleached or bleached ex 5407 10 00 ex 5407 20 90 ex 5407 30 00 5407 42 00 5407 43 00 5407 44 00 5407 52 00 5407 53 00 5407 54 00 5407 61 30 5407 61 50 5407 61 90 5407 69 90 5407 72 00 5407 73 00 5407 74 00 5407 82 00 5407 83 00 5407 84 00 5407 92 00 5407 93 00 5407 94 00 ex 5811 00 00 ex 5905 00 70		
36	Woven fabrics of continuous artificial fibres, other than those for tyres of category 114 5408 10 00 5408 21 00 5408 22 10 5408 22 90 5408 23 00 5408 24 00 5408 31 00 5408 32 00 5408 33 00 5408 34 00 ex 5811 00 00 ex 5905 00 70		
36 a)	Of which: Other than unbleached or bleached ex 5408 10 00 5408 22 10 5408 22 90 5408 23 00 5408 24 00 5408 32 00 5408 33 00 5408 34 00 ex 5811 00 00 ex 5905 00 70		
37	Woven fabrics of artificial staple fibres 5516 11 00 5516 12 00 5516 13 00 5516 14 00 5516 21 00 5516 22 00 5516 23 10 5516 23 90 5516 24 00 5516 31 00 5516 32 00 5516 33 00 5516 34 00 5516 41 00 5516 42 00 5516 43 00 5516 44 00 5516 91 00 5516 92 00 5516 93 00 5516 94 00 ex 5803 00 90 ex 5905 00 70		
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38 A	Knitted or crocheted synthetic curtain fabric including net curtain fabric 6005 31 10 6005 32 10 6005 33 10 6005 34 10 6006 31 10 6006 32 10 6006 33 10 6006 34 10		
38 B	Net curtains, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6303 91 00 ex 6303 92 90 ex 6303 99 90		
40	Woven curtains ( including drapes, interior blinds, curtain and bed valances and other furnishing articles), other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres ex 6303 91 00 ex 6303 92 90 ex 6303 99 90 6304 19 10 ex 6304 19 90 6304 92 00 ex 6304 93 00 ex 6304 99 00		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
41	Yarn of synthetic filament (continuous), not put up for retail sale, other than non-textured single yarn untwisted or with a twist of not more than 50 turns/m 5401 10 12 5401 10 14 5401 10 16 5401 10 18 5402 11 00 5402 19 00 5402 20 00 5402 31 00 5402 32 00 5402 33 00 5402 34 00 5402 39 00 ex 5402 44 00 5402 48 00 5402 49 00 5402 51 00 5402 52 00 5402 59 10 5402 59 90 5402 61 00 5402 62 00 5402 69 10 5402 69 90 ex 5604 90 10 ex 5604 90 90		
42	Yarn of continuous man-made fibres, not put up for retail sale 5401 20 10 Yarn of artificial fibres; yarn of artificial filaments, not put up for retail sale, other than single yarn of viscose rayon untwisted or with a twist of not more than 250 turns/m and single non textured yarn of cellulose acetate 5403 10 00 5403 31 00 ex 5403 32 00 ex 5403 33 00 5403 39 00 5403 41 00 5403 42 00 5403 49 00 ex 5604 90 10		
43	Yarn of man-made filament, yarn of artificial staple fibres, cotton yarn, put up for retail sale 5204 20 00 5207 10 00 5207 90 00 5401 10 90 5401 20 90 5406 00 00 5508 20 90 5511 30 00		
46	Carded or combed sheep's or lambs' wool or other fine animal hair 5105 10 00 5105 21 00 5105 29 00 5105 31 00 5105 39 00		
47	Yarn of carded sheep's or lambs' wool (woollen yarn) or of carded fine animal hair, not put up for retail sale 5106 10 10 5106 10 90 5106 20 10 5106 20 91 5106 20 99 5108 10 10 5108 10 90		
48	Yarn of combed sheep's or lambs' wool (worsted yarn) or of combed fine animal hair, not put up for retail sale 5107 10 10 5107 10 90 5107 20 10 5107 20 30 5107 20 51 5107 20 59 5107 20 91 5107 20 99 5108 20 10 5108 20 90		
49	Yarn of sheep's or lambs' wool or of combed fine animal hair, put up for retail sale 5109 10 10 5109 10 90 5109 90 00		
50	Woven fabrics of sheep's or lambs' wool or of fine animal hair 5111 11 00 5111 19 10 5111 19 90 5111 20 00 5111 30 10 5111 30 30 5111 30 90 5111 90 10 5111 90 91 5111 90 93 5111 90 99 5112 11 00 5112 19 10 5112 19 90 5112 20 00 5112 30 10 5112 30 30 5112 30 90 5112 90 10 5112 90 91 5112 90 93 5112 90 99		
51	Cotton, carded or combed 5203 00 00		
53	Cotton gauze 5803 00 10		
54	Artificial staple fibres, including waste, carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning 5507 00 00		
55	Synthetic staple fibres, including waste, carded, combed or otherwise processed for spinning 5506 10 00 5506 20 00 5506 30 00 5506 90 00		
56	Yarn of synthetic staple fibres (including waste), put up for retail sale 5508 10 90 5511 10 00 5511 20 00		
58	Carpets, carportines and rugs, knotted (made up or not) 5701 10 10 5701 10 90 5701 90 10 5701 90 90		
59	Carpets and other textile floor coverings, other than the carpets of category 58 5702 10 00 5702 31 10 5702 31 80 5702 32 10 5702 32 90 ex 5702 39 00 5702 41 10 5702 41 90 5702 42 10 5702 42 90 ex 5702 49 00 5702 50 10 5702 50 31 5702 50 39 ex 5702 50 90 5702 91 00 5702 92 10 5702 92 90 ex 5702 99 00 5703 10 00 5703 20 12 5703 20 18 5703 20 92 5703 20 98 5703 30 12 5703 30 18 5703 30 82 5703 30 88 5703 90 20 5703 90 80 5704 10 00 5704 90 00 5705 00 10 5705 00 30 ex 5705 00 90		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
60	Tapestries, hand-made, of the type Gobelins, Flanders, Aubusson, Beauvais and the like, and needlework tapestries (e.g. petit point and cross stitch) made in panels and the like by hand 5805 00 00		
61	Narrow woven fabrics, and narrow fabrics (bolduc) consisting of warp without weft, assembled by means of an adhesive, other than labels and similar articles of category 62. Elastic fabrics and trimmings (not knitted or crocheted), made from textile materials assembled from rubber thread ex 5806 10 00 5806 20 00 5806 31 00 5806 32 10 5806 32 90 5806 39 00 5806 40 00		
62	Chenille yarn (incl. flock chenille yarn), gimped yarn (other than metallized yarn and gimped horsehair yarn) 5606 00 91 5606 00 99 Tulle and other net fabrics but not including woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics, hand or mechanically-made lace, in the piece, in strips or in motifs 5804 10 10 5804 10 90 5804 21 10 5804 21 90 5804 29 10 5804 29 90 5804 30 00 Labels, badges and the like of textile materials, not embroidered, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size, woven 5807 10 10 5807 10 90 Braids and ornamental trimmings in the piece; tassels, pompons and the like 5808 10 00 5808 90 00 Embroidery, in the piece, in strips or in motifs 5810 10 10 5810 10 90 5810 91 10 5810 91 90 5810 92 10 5810 92 90 5810 99 10 5810 99 90		
63	Knitted or crocheted fabric of synthetic fibres containing by weight 5 % or more elastomeric yarn and knitted or crocheted fabrics containing by weight 5 % or more of rubber thread 5906 91 00 ex 6002 40 00 6002 90 00 ex 6004 10 00 6004 90 00 Raschel lace and long-pile fabric of synthetic fibres ex 6001 10 00 6003 30 10 6005 31 50 6005 32 50 6005 33 50 6005 34 50		
65	Knitted or crocheted fabric, other than those of categories 38 A and 63, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres 5606 00 10 ex 6001 10 00 6001 21 00 6001 22 00 ex 6001 29 00 6001 91 00 6001 92 00 ex 6001 99 00 ex 6002 40 00 6003 10 00 6003 20 00 6003 30 90 6003 40 00 ex 6004 10 00 6005 90 10 6005 21 00 6005 22 00 6005 23 00 6005 24 00 6005 31 90 6005 32 90 6005 33 90 6005 34 90 6005 41 00 6005 42 00 6005 43 00 6005 44 00 6006 10 00 6006 21 00 6006 22 00 6006 23 00 6006 24 00 6006 31 90 6006 32 90 6006 33 90 6006 34 90 6006 41 00 6006 42 00 6006 43 00 6006 44 00		
66	Travelling rugs and blankets, other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres 6301 10 00 6301 20 90 6301 30 90 ex 6301 40 90 ex 6301 90 90		
<b>GROUP III B</b>			
10	Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted 6111 90 11 6111 20 10 6111 30 10 ex 6111 90 90 6116 10 20 6116 10 80 6116 91 00 6116 92 00 6116 93 00 6116 99 00	17 pairs	59
67	Knitted or crocheted clothing accessories other than for babies; household linen of all kinds, knitted or crocheted; curtains (incl. drapes) and interior blinds, curtain or bed valances and other furnishing articles knitted or crocheted; knitted or crocheted blankets and travelling rugs, other knitted or crocheted articles including parts of garments or of clothing accessories 5807 90 90 6113 00 10 6117 10 00 6117 80 10 6117 80 80 6117 90 00 6301 20 10 6301 30 10 6301 40 10 6301 90 10 6302 10 00 6302 40 00 ex 6302 60 00 6303 12 00 6303 19 00 6304 11 00 6304 91 00 ex 6305 20 00 6305 32 11 ex 6305 32 90 6305 33 10 ex 6305 39 00 ex 6305 90 00 6307 10 10 6307 90 10		
67 a)	Of which: Sacks and bags of a kind used for the packing of goods, made from polyethylene or polypropylene strip 6305 32 11 6305 33 10		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
69	Women's and girls' slips and petticoats, knitted or crocheted 6108 11 00 6108 19 00	7,8	128
70	Panty-hose and tights of synthetic fibres, measuring per single yarn less than 67 decitex (6,7 tex) ex 6115 10 90 6115 21 00 6115 30 19 Women's full length hosiery of synthetic fibres ex 6115 10 90 6115 96 91	30,4 pairs	33
72	Swimwear, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres 6112 31 10 6112 31 90 6112 39 10 6112 39 90 6112 41 10 6112 41 90 6112 49 10 6112 49 90 6211 11 00 6211 12 00	9,7	103
74	Women's or girls' knitted or crocheted suits and ensembles, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres, excluding ski suits 6104 13 00 6104 19 20 ex 6104 19 90 6104 22 00 6104 23 00 6104 29 10 ex 6104 29 90	1,54	650
75	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted suits and ensembles, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres, excluding ski suit 6103 10 10 6103 10 90 6103 22 00 6103 23 00 6103 29 00	0,80	1 250
84	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres 6214 20 00 6214 30 00 6214 40 00 ex 6214 90 00		
85	Ties, bow ties and cravats other than knitted or crocheted, of wool, of cotton or of man-made fibres 6215 20 00 6215 90 00	17,9	56
86	Corsets, corset-belts, suspender belts, braces, suspenders, garters and the like, and parts thereof, whether or not knitted or crocheted 6212 20 00 6212 30 00 6212 90 00	8,8	114
87	Gloves, mittens and mitts, not knitted or crocheted ex 6209 90 10 ex 6209 20 00 ex 6209 30 00 ex 6209 90 90 6216 00 00		
88	Stockings, socks and sockettes, not knitted or crocheted; other clothing accessories, parts of garments or of clothing accessories other than for babies, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6209 90 10 ex 6209 20 00 ex 6209 30 00 ex 6209 90 90 6217 10 00 6217 90 00		
90	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables of synthetic fibres, plaited or not 5607 41 00 5607 49 11 5607 49 19 5607 49 90 5607 50 11 5607 50 19 5607 50 30 5607 50 90		
91	Tents 6306 22 00 6306 29 00		
93	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, of woven fabrics, other than made from polyethylene or polypropylene strip ex 6305 20 00 ex 6305 32 90 ex 6305 39 00		
94	Wadding of textile materials and articles thereof; textile fibres, not exceeding 5 mm in length (flock), textile dust and mill neps 5601 10 10 5601 10 90 5601 21 10 5601 21 90 5601 22 10 5601 22 90 5601 29 00 5601 30 00		
95	Felt and articles thereof, whether or not impregnated or coated, other than floor coverings 5602 10 19 5602 10 31 ex 5602 10 38 5602 10 90 5602 21 00 ex 5602 29 00 5602 90 00 ex 5807 90 10 ex 5905 00 70 6210 10 10 6307 90 91		
96	Non-woven fabrics and articles of such fabrics, whether or not impregnated, coated, covered or laminated 5603 11 10 5603 11 90 5603 12 10 5603 12 90 5603 13 10 5603 13 90 5603 14 10 5603 14 90 5603 91 10 5603 91 90 5603 92 10 5603 92 90 5603 93 10 5603 93 90 5603 94 10 5603 94 90 ex 5807 90 10 ex 5905 00 70 6210 10 90 ex 6301 40 90 ex 6301 90 90 6302 22 10 6302 32 10 6302 53 10 6302 93 10 6303 92 10 6303 99 10 ex 6304 19 90 ex 6304 93 00 ex 6304 99 00 ex 6305 32 90 ex 6305 39 00 6307 10 30 ex 6307 90 99		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
97	Nets and netting made of twine, cordage or rope and made up fishing nets of yarn, twine, cordage or rope 5608 11 20 5608 11 80 5608 19 11 5608 19 19 5608 19 30 5608 19 90 5608 90 00		
98	Other articles made from yarn, twine, cordage, cables or rope, other than textile fabrics, articles made from such fabrics and articles of category 97 5609 00 00 5905 00 10		
99	Textile fabrics coated with gum or amylaceous substances, of a kind used for the outer covers of books and the like; tracing cloth; prepared painting canvas; buckram and similar stiffened textile fabrics of a kind used for hat foundations 5901 10 00 5901 90 00 Linoleum, whether or not cut to shape; floor coverings consisting of a coating or covering applied on a textile backing, whether or not cut to shape 5904 10 00 5904 90 00 Rubberised textile fabric, not knitted or crocheted, excluding those for tyres 5906 10 00 5906 99 10 5906 99 90 Textile fabrics otherwise impregnated or coated; painted canvas being theatrical scenery, studio back-cloths, other than of category 100 5907 00 00		
100	Textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with preparations of cellulose derivatives or of other artificial plastic materials 5903 10 10 5903 10 90 5903 20 10 5903 20 90 5903 90 10 5903 90 91 5903 90 99		
101	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, plaited or not, other than of synthetic fibres ex 5607 90 90		
109	Tarpaulins, sails, awnings and sunblinds 6306 12 00 6306 19 00 6306 30 00		
110	Woven pneumatic mattresses 6306 40 00		
111	Camping goods, woven, other than pneumatic mattresses and tents 6306 91 00 6306 99 00		
112	Other made up textile articles, woven, excluding those of categories 113 and 114 6307 20 00 ex 6307 90 99		
113	Floor cloth, dish cloth and dusters, other than knitted or crocheted 6307 10 90		
114	Woven fabrics and articles for technical uses 5902 10 10 5902 10 90 5902 20 10 5902 20 90 5902 90 10 5902 90 90 5908 00 00 5909 00 10 5909 00 90 5910 00 00 5911 10 00 ex 5911 20 00 5911 31 11 5911 31 19 5911 31 90 5911 32 10 5911 32 90 5911 40 00 5911 90 10 5911 90 90		
<b>GROUP IV</b>			
115	Flax or ramie yarn 5306 10 10 5306 10 30 5306 10 50 5306 10 90 5306 20 10 5306 20 90 5308 90 12 5308 90 19		
117	Woven fabrics of flax or of ramie 5309 11 10 5309 11 90 5309 19 00 5309 21 00 5309 29 00 5311 00 10 ex 5803 00 90 5905 00 30		
118	Table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen of flax or ramie, other than knitted or crocheted 6302 29 10 6302 39 20 6302 59 10 ex 6302 59 90 6302 99 10 ex 6302 99 90		
120	Curtains ( incl. drapes), interior blinds, curtain and bed valances and other furnishing articles, not knitted or crocheted, of flax or ramie ex 6303 99 90 6304 19 30 ex 6304 99 00		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
121	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, plaited or not, of flax or ramie ex 5607 90 90		
122	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, used, of flax, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6305 90 00		
123	Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics of flax or ramie, other than narrow woven fabrics 5801 90 10 ex 5801 90 90 Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, of flax or ramie, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6214 90 00		
<b>GROUP V</b>			
124	Synthetic staple fibres 5501 10 00 5501 20 00 5501 30 00 5501 40 00 5501 90 00 5503 11 00 5503 19 00 5503 20 00 5503 30 00 5503 40 00 5503 90 00 5505 10 10 5505 10 30 5505 10 50 5505 10 70 5505 10 90		
125 A	Synthetic filament yarn (continuous) not put up for retail sale, other than yarn of category 41 ex 5402 44 00 5402 45 00 5402 46 00 5402 47 00		
125 B	Monofilament, strip (artificial straw and the like) and imitation catgut of synthetic materials 5404 11 00 5404 12 00 5404 19 00 5404 90 10 5404 90 90 ex 5604 90 10 ex 5604 90 90		
126	Artificial staple fibres 5502 00 10 5502 00 40 5502 00 80 5504 10 00 5504 90 00 5505 20 00		
127 A	Yarn of artificial filaments (continuous) not put up for retail sale, other than yarn of category 42 ex 5403 31 00 ex 5403 32 00 ex 5403 33 00		
127 B	Monofilament, strip (artificial straw and the like) and imitation catgut of artificial textile materials 5405 00 00 ex 5604 90 90		
128	Coarse animal hair, carded or combed 5105 40 00		
129	Yarn of coarse animal hair or of horsehair 5110 00 00		
130 A	Silk yarn other than yarn spun from silk waste 5004 00 10 5004 00 90 5006 00 10		
130 B	Silk yarn other than of category 130 A; silk-worm gut 5005 00 10 5005 00 90 5006 00 90 ex 5604 90 90		
131	Yarn of other vegetable textile fibres 5308 90 90		
132	Paper yarn 5308 90 50		
133	Yarn of true hemp 5308 20 10 5308 20 90		
134	Metallized yarn 5605 00 00		
135	Woven fabrics of coarse animal hair or of horse hair 5113 00 00		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
136	Woven fabrics of silk or of silk waste 5007 10 00 5007 20 11 5007 20 19 5007 20 21 5007 20 31 5007 20 39 5007 20 41 5007 20 51 5007 20 59 5007 20 61 5007 20 69 5007 20 71 5007 90 10 5007 90 30 5007 90 50 5007 90 90 5803 00 30 ex 5905 00 90 ex 5911 20 00		
137	Woven pile fabric and chenille fabrics and narrow woven fabrics of silk, or of silk waste ex 5801 90 90 ex 5806 10 00		
138	Woven fabrics of paper yarn and other textile fibres other than of ramie 5311 00 90 ex 5905 00 90		
139	Woven fabrics of metal threads or of metallized yarn 5809 00 00		
140	Knitted or crocheted fabric of textile material other than wool or fine animal hair, cotton or man made fibres ex 6001 10 00 ex 6001 29 00 ex 6001 99 00 6003 90 00 6005 90 90 6006 90 00		
141	Travelling rugs and blankets of textile material other than wool or fine animal hair, cotton or man made fibres ex 6301 90 90		
142	Carpets and other textile floor coverings of sisal, of other fibres of the agave family or the Manila hemp ex 5702 39 00 ex 5702 49 00 ex 5702 50 90 ex 5702 99 00 ex 5705 00 90		
144	Felt of coarse animal hair ex 5602 10 38 ex 5602 29 00		
145	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables plaited or not abaca (Manila hemp) or of true hemp ex 5607 90 20 ex 5607 90 90		
146 A	Binder or baler twine for agricultural machines, of sisal or other fibres of the agave family ex 5607 21 00		
146 B	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables of sisal or other fibres of the agave family, other than the products of category 146 A ex 5607 21 00 5607 29 00		
146 C	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, whether or not plaited or braided, of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 5303 ex 5607 90 20		
147	Silk waste (incl. cocoons unsuitable for reeling), yarn waste and garmetted stock, other than not carded or combed ex 5003 00 00		
148 A	Yarn of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 5303 5307 10 00 5307 20 00		
148 B	Coir yarn 5308 10 00		
149	Woven fabrics of jute or of other textile bast fibres of a width of more than 150 cm 5310 10 90 ex 5310 90 00		
150	Woven fabrics of jute or of other textile bast fibres of a width of not more than 150 cm; Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, of jute or of other textile bast fibres, other than used 5310 10 10 ex 5310 90 00 5905 00 50 6305 10 90		
151 A	Floor coverings of coconut fibres (coir) 5702 20 00		
151 B	Carpets and other textile floor coverings, of jute or of other textile bast fibres, other than tufted or flopped ex 5702 39 00 ex 5702 49 00 ex 5702 50 90 ex 5702 99 00		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
152	Needle loom felt of jute or of other textile bast fibres not impregnated or coated, other than floor coverings 5602 10 11		
153	Used sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 5303 6305 10 10		
154	Silkworm cocoons suitable for reeling 5001 00 00 Raw silk (not thrown) 5002 00 00 Silk waste(incl. cocoons unsuitable for reeling), yarn waste and garnetted stock, not carded or combed ex 5003 00 00 Wool not carded or combed 5101 11 00 5101 19 00 5101 21 00 5101 29 00 5101 30 00 Fine or coarse animal hair, not carded or combed 5102 11 00 5102 19 10 5102 19 30 5102 19 40 5102 19 90 5102 20 00 Waste of wool or of fine or coarse animal hair, including yarn waste but excluding garnetted stock 5103 10 10 5103 10 90 5103 20 00 5103 30 00 Garnetted stock of wool or of fine or coarse animal hair 5104 00 00 Flax, raw or processed but not spun: flax tow and waste (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5301 10 00 5301 21 00 5301 29 00 5301 30 00 Ramie and other vegetable textile fibres, raw or processed but not spun: tow, noils and waste, other than coir and abaca 5305 00 00 Cotton, not carded nor combed 5201 00 10 5201 00 90 Cotton waste (incl. yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5202 10 00 5202 91 00 5202 99 00 True hemp ( <i>Cannabis sativa L.</i> ), raw or processed but not spun: tow and waste of true hemp (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5302 10 00 5302 90 00 Abaca ( <i>Manila hemp</i> or <i>Musa Textilis Nee</i> ),raw or processed but not spun: tow and waste of abaca (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5305 00 00 Jute or other textile bast fibres (excl. flax, true hemp and ramie), raw or processed but not spun: tow and waste of jute or other textile bast fibres (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5303 10 00 5303 90 00 Other vegetable textile fibres, raw or processed but not spun: tow and waste of such fibres (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5305 00 00		
156	Blouses and pullovers knitted or crocheted of silk or silk waste for women and girls 6106 90 30 ex 6110 90 90		
157	Garments, knitted or crocheted, other than those of categories 1 to 123 and 156 ex 6101 90 20 ex 6101 90 80 6102 90 10 6102 90 90 ex 6103 39 00 ex 6103 49 00 ex 6104 19 90 ex 6104 29 90 ex 6104 39 00 6104 49 00 ex 6104 69 00 6105 90 90 6106 90 50 6106 90 90 ex 6107 99 00 ex 6108 99 00 6109 90 90 6110 90 10 ex 6110 90 90 ex 6111 90 90 ex 6114 90 00		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
159	Dresses, blouses and shirt-blouses, not knitted or crocheted, of silk or silk waste 6204 49 10 6206 10 00 Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, not knitted or crocheted, of silk or silk waste 6214 10 00 Ties, bow ties and cravats of silk or silk waste 6215 10 00		
160	Handkerchiefs of silk or silk waste ex 6213 90 00		
161	Garments, not knitted or crocheted, other than those of categories 1 to 123 and category 159 6201 19 00 6201 99 00 6202 19 00 6202 99 00 6203 19 90 6203 29 90 6203 39 90 6203 49 90 6204 19 90 6204 29 90 6204 39 90 6204 49 90 6204 59 90 6204 69 90 6205 90 10 ex 6205 90 80 6206 90 10 6206 90 90 ex 6211 20 00 ex 6211 39 00 6211 49 00		

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Category	Description CN-Code 2009	Table of equivalence	
		pieces/kg	g/piece
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
163 <sup>(1)</sup>	Gauze and articles of gauze put up in forms or packings for retail sale 3005 90 31		

<sup>(1)</sup> Only applies to imports from China.

▼ **M42***ANNEX I B*

1. This Annex covers textile raw materials (categories 128 and 154), textile products other than those of wool and fine animal hair, cotton and man-made fibres, as well as man-made fibres and filaments and yarns of categories 124, 125A, 125B, 126, 127A and 127B.
2. Without prejudice to the rules for the interpretation of the combined nomenclature, the wording of the description of goods is considered to be of indicative value only, since the products covered by each category are determined, within this Annex, by CN codes. Where there is an 'ex' symbol in front of a CN code, the products covered in each category are determined by the scope of the CN code and by that of the corresponding description.
3. Garments which are not recognisable as being garments for men or boys or as being garments for women or girls are classified with the latter.
4. Where the expression 'babies' garments' is used, this is meant to cover garments up to and including commercial size 86.

Category	Description CN-Code 2009	Table of equivalence	
		pieces/kg	g/piece
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
<b>GROUP I</b>			
ex 20	Bed linen, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6302 29 90 ex 6302 39 90		
ex 32	Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics and tufted textile surfaces ex 5802 20 00 ex 5802 30 00		
ex 39	Table linen, toilet and kitchen linen, other than knitted or crocheted and other than those of category 118 ex 6302 59 90 ex 6302 99 90		
<b>GROUP II</b>			
ex 12	Panty-hose and tights, stockings, understockings, socks, ankle socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, other than for babies ex 6115 10 90 ex 6115 29 00 ex 6115 30 90 ex 6115 99 00	24,3	41
ex 13	Men's or boys' underpants and briefs, women's or girls' knickers and briefs, knitted or crocheted ex 6107 19 00 ex 6108 29 00 ex 6212 10 10	17	59
ex 14	Men's or boys' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes ex 6210 20 00	0,72	1 389
ex 15	Women's or girls' woven overcoats, raincoats and other coats, cloaks and capes, jackets and blazers, other than parkas ex 6210 30 00	0,84	1 190
ex 18	Men's or boys' singlets and other vests, underpants, briefs, nightshirts, pyjamas, bathrobes, dressing gowns and similar articles, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6207 19 00 ex 6207 29 00 ex 6207 99 90 Women's or girls' singlets and other vests, slips, petticoats, briefs, panties, nightdresses, pyjamas, négligés, bathrobes, dressing gowns and similar articles, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6208 19 00 ex 6208 29 00 ex 6208 99 00 ex 6212 10 10		
ex 19	Handkerchiefs, other than those of silk and silk waste ex 6213 90 00	59	17

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
ex 24	Men's or boys' nightshirts, pyjamas, bathrobes, dressing gowns and similar articles, knitted or crocheted ex 6107 29 00 Women's or girls' nightdresses, pyjamas, négligés, bathrobes, dressing gowns and similar articles, knitted or crocheted ex 6108 39 00	3,9	257
ex 27	Women's or girls' skirts, including divided skirts ex 6104 59 00	2,6	385
ex 28	Trousers, bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts (other than swimwear), knitted or crocheted ex 6103 49 00 ex 6104 69 00	1,61	620
ex 31	Brassières, woven, knitted or crocheted ex 6212 10 10 ex 6212 10 90	18,2	55
ex 68	Babies' garments and clothing accessories, excluding babies' gloves, mittens and mitts of categories ex 10 and ex 87, and babies' stockings, socks and sockettes, other than knitted or crocheted, of category ex 88 ex 6209 90 90		
ex 73	Track suits of knitted or crocheted fabric ex 6112 19 00	1,67	600
ex 78	Woven garments of fabrics of heading No 5903, 5906 and 5907, excluding garments of categories ex 14 and ex 15 ex 6210 40 00 ex 6210 50 00		
ex 83	Garments of knitted or crocheted fabrics of heading No 5903 and 5907 and ski suits, knitted or crocheted ex 6112 20 00 ex 6113 00 90		
<b>GROUP III A</b>			
ex 38 B	Net curtains, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6303 99 90		
ex 40	Woven curtains (including drapes, interior blinds, curtain and bed valances and other furnishing articles), other than knitted or crocheted ex 6303 99 90 ex 6304 19 90 ex 6304 99 00		
ex 58	Carpets, carportines and rugs, knotted (made up or not) ex 5701 90 10 ex 5701 90 90		
ex 59	Carpets and other textile floor coverings, other than the carpets of category ex 58, 142 and 151B ex 5702 10 00 ex 5702 50 90 ex 5702 99 00 ex 5703 90 20 ex 5703 90 80 ex 5704 10 00 ex 5704 90 00 ex 5705 00 90		
ex 60	Tapestries, hand-made, of the type Gobelins, Flanders, Aubusson, Beauvais and the like, and needlework tapestries (e.g. petit point and cross stitch) made in panels and the like by hand ex 5805 00 00		
ex 61	Narrow woven fabrics, and narrow fabrics (bolduc) consisting of warp without weft, assembled by means of an adhesive, other than labels and similar articles of category ex 62 and of category 137. Elastic fabrics and trimmings (not knitted or crocheted), made from textile materials assembled from rubber thread ex 5806 10 00 ex 5806 20 00 ex 5806 39 00 ex 5806 40 00		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
ex 62	Chenille yarn (incl. flock chenille yarn), gimped yarn (other than metallized yarn and gimped horsehair yarn) ex 5606 00 91 ex 5606 00 99 Tulle and other net fabrics but not including woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics, hand or mechanically-made lace, in the piece, in strips or in motifs ex 5804 10 10 ex 5804 10 90 ex 5804 29 10 ex 5804 29 90 ex 5804 30 00 Labels, badges and the like of textile materials, not embroidered, in the piece, in strips or cut to shape or size, woven ex 5807 10 10 ex 5807 10 90 Braids and ornamental trimmings in the piece; tassels, pompons and the like ex 5808 10 00 ex 5808 90 00 Embroidery, in the piece, in strips or in motifs ex 5810 10 10 ex 5810 10 90 ex 5810 99 10 ex 5810 99 90		
ex 63	Knitted or crocheted fabric of synthetic fibres containing by weight 5 % or more elastomeric yarn and knitted or crocheted fabrics containing by weight 5 % or more of rubber thread ex 5906 91 00 ex 6002 40 00 ex 6002 90 00 ex 6004 10 00 ex 6004 90 00		
ex 65	Knitted or crocheted fabric, other than those of category ex 63 ex 5606 00 10 ex 6002 40 00 ex 6004 10 00		
ex 66	Travelling rugs and blankets, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6301 10 00		
<b>GROUP III B</b>			
ex 10	Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted ex 6116 10 20 ex 6116 10 80 ex 6116 99 00	17 pairs	59
ex 67	Knitted or crocheted clothing accessories other than for babies; household linen of all kinds, knitted or crocheted; curtains (incl. drapes) and interior blinds, curtain or bed valances and other furnishing articles knitted or crocheted; knitted or crocheted blankets and travelling rugs, other knitted or crocheted articles including parts of garments or of clothing accessories ex 5807 90 90 ex 6113 00 10 ex 6117 10 00 ex 6117 80 10 ex 6117 80 80 ex 6117 90 00 ex 6301 90 10 ex 6302 10 00 ex 6302 40 00 ex 6303 19 00 ex 6304 11 00 ex 6304 91 00 ex 6307 10 10 ex 6307 90 10		
ex 69	Women's and girls' slips and petticoats, knitted or crocheted ex 6108 19 00	7,8	128
ex 72	Swimwear ex 6112 39 10 ex 6112 39 90 ex 6112 49 10 ex 6112 49 90 ex 6211 11 00 ex 6211 12 00	9,7	103
ex 75	Men's or boys' knitted or crocheted suits and ensembles ex 6103 10 90 ex 6103 29 00	0,80	1 250
ex 85	Ties, bow ties and cravats other than knitted or crocheted, other than those of category 159 ex 6215 90 00	17,9	56
ex 86	Corsets, corset-belts, suspender belts, braces, suspenders, garters and the like, and parts thereof, whether or not knitted or crocheted ex 6212 20 00 ex 6212 30 00 ex 6212 90 00	8,8	114
ex 87	Gloves, mittens and mitts, not knitted or crocheted ex 6209 90 90 ex 6216 00 00		
ex 88	Stockings, socks and sockettes, not knitted or crocheted; other clothing accessories, parts of garments or of clothing accessories, other than for babies, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6209 90 90 ex 6217 10 00 ex 6217 90 00		
ex 91	Tents ex 6306 29 00		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
ex 94	Wadding of textile materials and articles thereof; textile fibres, not exceeding 5 mm in length (flock), textile dust and mill neps ex 5601 10 90 ex 5601 29 00 ex 5601 30 00		
ex 95	Felt and articles thereof, whether or not impregnated or coated, other than floor coverings ex 5602 10 19 ex 5602 10 38 ex 5602 10 90 ex 5602 29 00 ex 5602 90 00 ex 5807 90 10 ex 6210 10 10 ex 6307 90 91		
ex 97	Nets and netting made of twine, cordage or rope and made up fishing nets of yarn, twine, cordage or rope ex 5608 90 00		
ex 98	Other articles made from yarn, twine, cordage, cables or rope, other than textile fabrics, articles made from such fabrics and articles of category 97 ex 5609 00 00 ex 5905 00 10		
ex 99	Textile fabrics coated with gum or amylaceous substances, of a kind used for the outer covers of books and the like; tracing cloth; prepared painting canvas; buckram and similar stiffened textile fabrics of a kind used for hat foundations ex 5901 10 00 ex 5901 90 00 Linoleum, whether or not cut to shape; floor coverings consisting of a coating or covering applied on a textile backing, whether or not cut to shape ex 5904 10 00 ex 5904 90 00 Rubberised textile fabric, not knitted or crocheted, excluding those for tyres ex 5906 10 00 ex 5906 99 10 ex 5906 99 90 Textile fabrics otherwise impregnated or coated; painted canvas being theatrical scenery, studio back-cloths, other than of category ex 100 ex 5907 00 00		
ex 100	Textile fabrics impregnated, coated, covered or laminated with preparations of cellulose derivatives or of other artificial plastic materials ex 5903 10 10 ex 5903 10 90 ex 5903 20 10 ex 5903 20 90 ex 5903 90 10 ex 5903 90 91 ex 5903 90 99		
ex 109	Tarpaulins, sails, awnings and sunblinds ex 6306 19 00 ex 6306 30 00		
ex 110	Woven pneumatic mattresses ex 6306 40 00		
ex 111	Camping goods, woven, other than pneumatic mattresses and tents ex 6306 99 00		
ex 112	Other made up textiles articles, woven, excluding those of categories ex 113 and ex 114 ex 6307 20 00 ex 6307 90 99		
ex 113	Floor cloth, dish cloth and dusters, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6307 10 90		
ex 114	Woven fabrics and articles for technical uses, other than those of category 136 ex 5908 00 00 ex 5909 00 90 ex 5910 00 00 ex 5911 10 00 ex 5911 31 19 ex 5911 31 90 ex 5911 32 10 ex 5911 32 90 ex 5911 40 00 ex 5911 90 10 ex 5911 90 90		
<b>GROUP IV</b>			
115	Flax or ramie yarn 5306 10 10 5306 10 30 5306 10 50 5306 10 90 5306 20 10 5306 20 90 5308 90 12 5308 90 19		
117	Woven fabrics of flax or of ramie 5309 11 10 5309 11 90 5309 19 00 5309 21 00 5309 29 00 5311 00 10 ex 5803 00 90 5905 00 30		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
118	Table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen of flax or ramie, other knitted or crocheted 6302 29 10 6302 39 20 6302 59 10 ex 6302 59 90 6302 99 10 ex 6302 99 90		
120	Curtains (incl. drapes), interior blinds, curtain and bed valances and other furnishing articles, not knitted or crocheted, of flax or ramie ex 6303 99 90 6304 19 30 ex 6304 99 00		
121	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, plaited or not, of flax or ramie ex 5607 90 90		
122	Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, used, of flax, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6305 90 00		
123	Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics of flax or ramie, other than narrow woven fabrics 5801 90 10 ex 5801 90 90		
	Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, of flax or ramie, other than knitted or crocheted ex 6214 90 00		
<b>GROUP V</b>			
124	Synthetic staple fibres 5501 10 00 5501 20 00 5501 30 00 5501 40 00 5501 90 00 5503 11 00 5503 19 00 5503 20 00 5503 30 00 5503 40 00 5503 90 00 5505 10 10 5505 10 30 5505 10 50 5505 10 70 5505 10 90		
125 A	Synthetic filament yarn (continuous) not put up for retail sale ex 5402 44 00 5402 45 00 5402 46 00 5402 47 00		
125 B	Monofilament, strip (artificial straw and the like) and imitation catgut of synthetic materials 5404 11 00 5404 12 00 5404 19 00 5404 90 10 5404 90 90 ex 5604 90 10 ex 5604 90 90		
126	Artificial staple fibres 5502 00 10 5502 00 40 5502 00 80 5504 10 00 5504 90 00 5505 20 00		
127 A	Yarn of artificial filaments (continuous) not put up for retail sale, single yarn or viscose rayon untwisted or with a twist of not more than 250 turns per metre and single non-textured yarn of cellulose acetate ex 5403 31 00 ex 5403 32 00 ex 5403 33 00		
127 B	Monofilament, strip (artificial straw and the like) and imitation catgut of artificial textile materials 5405 00 00 ex 5604 90 90		
128	Coarse animal hair, carded or combed 5105 40 00		
129	Yarn of coarse animal hair or of horsehair 5110 00 00		
130 A	Silk yarn other than yarn spun from silk waste 5004 00 10 5004 00 90 5006 00 10		
130 B	Silk yarn other than of category 130 A; silk-worm gut 5005 00 10 5005 00 90 5006 00 90 ex 5604 90 90		
131	Yarn of other vegetable textile fibres 5308 90 90		
132	Paper yarn 5308 90 50		
133	Yarn of true hemp 5308 20 10 5308 20 90		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
134	Metallized yarn 5605 00 00		
135	Woven fabrics of coarse animal hair or of horse hair 5113 00 00		
136 A	Woven fabrics of silk or of silk waste other than unbleached, scoured or bleached 5007 20 19 ex 5007 20 31 ex 5007 20 39 ex 5007 20 41 5007 20 59 5007 20 61 5007 20 69 5007 20 71 5007 90 30 5007 90 50 5007 90 90		
136 B	Woven fabrics of silk or of silk waste other than those of category 136 A ex 5007 10 00 5007 20 11 5007 20 21 ex 5007 20 31 ex 5007 20 39 ex 5007 20 41 5007 20 51 5007 90 10 5803 00 30 ex 5905 00 90 ex 5911 20 00		
137	Woven pile fabric and chenille fabrics and narrow woven fabrics of silk, or of silk waste ex 5801 90 90 ex 5806 10 00		
138	Woven fabrics of paper yarn and other textile fibres other than of ramie 5311 00 90 ex 5905 00 90		
139	Woven fabrics of metal threads or of metallized yarn 5809 00 00		
140	Knitted or crocheted fabric of textile material other than wool or fine animal hair, cotton or man made fibres ex 6001 10 00 ex 6001 29 00 ex 6001 99 00 6003 90 00 6005 90 90 6006 90 00		
141	Travelling rugs and blankets of textile material other than wool or fine animal hair, cotton or man made fibres ex 6301 90 90		
142	Carpets and other textile floor coverings of sisal, of other fibres of the agave family or the Manila hemp ex 5702 39 00 ex 5702 49 00 ex 5702 50 90 ex 5702 99 00 ex 5705 00 90		
144	Felt of coarse animal hair ex 5602 10 38 ex 5602 29 00		
145	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables plaited or not abaca (Manila hemp) or of true hemp ex 5607 90 20 ex 5607 90 90		
146 A	Binder or baler twine for agricultural machines, of sisal or other fibres of the agave family ex 5607 21 00		
146 B	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables of sisal or other fibres of the agave family, other than the products of category 146 A ex 5607 21 00 5607 29 00		
146 C	Twine, cordage, ropes and cables, whether or not plaited or braided, of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 5303 ex 5607 90 20		
147	Silk waste (incl. cocoons unsuitable for reeling), yarn waste and garnetted stock, other than not carded or combed ex 5003 00 00		
148 A	Yarn of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 5303 5307 10 00 5307 20 00		
148 B	Coir yarn 5308 10 00		
149	Woven fabrics of jute or of other textile bast fibres of a width of more than 150 cm 5310 10 90 ex 5310 90 00		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
150	Woven fabrics of jute or of other textile bast fibres of a width of not more than 150 cm; Sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, of jute or of other textile bast fibres, other than used 5310 10 10 ex 5310 90 00 5905 00 50 6305 10 90		
151 A	Floor coverings of coconut fibres (coir) 5702 20 00		
151 B	Carpets and other textile floor coverings, of jute or of other textile bast fibres, other than tufted or flocked ex 5702 39 00 ex 5702 49 00 ex 5702 50 90 ex 5702 99 00		
152	Needle loom felt of jute or of other textile bast fibres not impregnated or coated, other than floor coverings 5602 10 11		
153	Used sacks and bags, of a kind used for the packing of goods, of jute or of other textile bast fibres of heading No 5303 6305 10 10		
154	Silkworm cocoons suitable for reeling 5001 00 00 Raw silk (not thrown) 5002 00 00 Silk waste (incl. cocoons unsuitable for reeling), yarn waste and garnetted stock, not carded or combed ex 5003 00 00 Wool not carded or combed 5101 11 00 5101 19 00 5101 21 00 5101 29 00 5101 30 00 Fine or coarse animal hair, not carded or combed 5102 11 00 5102 19 10 5102 19 30 5102 19 40 5102 19 90 5102 20 00 Waste of wool or of fine or coarse animal hair, including yarn waste but excluding garnetted stock 5103 10 10 5103 10 90 5103 20 00 5103 30 00 Garnetted stock of wool or of fine or coarse animal hair 5104 00 00 Flax, raw or processed but not spun: flax tow and waste (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5301 10 00 5301 21 00 5301 29 00 5301 30 00 Ramie and other vegetable textile fibres, raw or processed but not spun: tow, noils and waste, other than coir and abaca 5305 00 00 Cotton, not carded nor combed 5201 00 10 5201 00 90 Cotton waste (incl. yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5202 10 00 5202 91 00 5202 99 00 True hemp ( <i>Cannabis sativa</i> ), raw or processed but not spun: tow and waste of true hemp (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5302 10 00 5302 90 00 Abaca ( <i>Manila hemp</i> or <i>Musa Textilis Nee</i> ), raw or processed but not spun: tow and waste of abaca (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5305 00 00 Jute or other textile bast fibres (excl. flax, true hemp and ramie), raw or processed but not spun: tow and waste of jute or other textile bast fibres (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5303 10 00 5303 90 00 Other vegetable textile fibres, raw or processed but not spun: tow and waste of such fibres (including yarn waste and garnetted stock) 5305 00 00		

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
156	Blouses and pullovers knitted or crocheted of silk or silk waste for women and girls 6106 90 30 ex 6110 90 90		
157	Garments, knitted or crocheted, excluding garments of categories ex 10, ex 12, ex 13, ex 24, ex 27, ex 28, ex 67, ex 69, ex 72, ex 73, ex 75, ex 83 and 156 ex 6101 90 20 ex 6101 90 80 6102 90 10 6102 90 90 ex 6103 39 00 ex 6103 49 00 ex 6104 19 90 ex 6104 29 90 ex 6104 39 00 6104 49 00 ex 6104 69 00 6105 90 90 6106 90 50 6106 90 90 ex 6107 99 00 ex 6108 99 00 6109 90 90 6110 90 10 ex 6110 90 90 ex 6111 90 90 ex 6114 90 00		
159	Dresses, blouses and shirt-blouses, not knitted or crocheted, of silk or silk waste 6204 49 10 6206 10 00 Shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like, not knitted or crocheted, of silk or silk waste 6214 10 00 Ties, bow ties and cravats of silk or silk waste 6215 10 00		
160	Handkerchiefs of silk or silk waste ex 6213 90 00		
161	Garments, not knitted or crocheted, excluding garments of categories ex 14, ex 15, ex 18, ex 31, ex 68, ex 72, ex 78, ex 86, ex 87, ex 88 and 159 6201 19 00 6201 99 00 6202 19 00 6202 99 00 6203 19 90 6203 29 90 6203 39 90 6203 49 90 6204 19 90 6204 29 90 6204 39 90 6204 49 90 6204 59 90 6204 69 90 6205 90 10 ex 6205 90 80 6206 90 10 6206 90 90 ex 6211 20 00 ex 6211 39 00 6211 49 00		

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*ANNEX II*

**EXPORTING COUNTRIES REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 1**

Belarus

Russia

Serbia

Uzbekistan

▼ **M15***ANNEX III***referred to in Articles 1, 12 and 13**

## PART I

**Classification***Article 1*

The classification of the textile products referred to in Article 1 (1) of the Regulation is based on the combined nomenclature (CN).

*Article 2*

On the initiative of the Commission or of a Member State, the tariff and statistical nomenclature section of the Customs Code Committee, which was established by Council Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87<sup>(1)</sup> will examine urgently in conformity with the provisions of the abovementioned Regulations, all questions concerning the classification of products referred to in Article 1 (1) of the Regulation within the combined nomenclature (CN) in order to classify them in the appropriate categories.

*Article 3*

The Commission shall inform supplying countries of any changes in the combined nomenclature (CN) on their adoption by the competent authorities of the Community.

*Article 4*

The Commission shall inform the competent authorities of supplier countries of any decisions adopted in accordance with the procedures in force in the Community relating to classification of products covered by this Regulation, within one month at the latest of their adoption. Such communication shall include:

- (a) a description of the products concerned;
- (b) the relevant category, and the combined nomenclature code (CN code);
- (c) the reasons which have led to the decision.

*Article 5*

1. Where a classification decision adopted in accordance with Community procedures in force results in a change of classification practice or a change in category of any product covered by this Regulation, the competent authorities of the Member States shall provide 30 days' notice, from the date of the Commission's notification, before the decision is put into effect.

2. Products shipped before the date of application of the decision shall remain subject to earlier classification practice, provided that the goods in question are entered to importation within 60 days of that date.

*Article 6*

Where a classification decision adopted in accordance with the Community procedures in force referred to in Article 5 of this Annex involves a category of products subject to a quantitative limit, the Commission shall, without delay, initiate consultation in accordance with Article 16 of the Regulation, in order to reach agreement on the necessary adjustments to the corresponding quantitative limits provided for in Annex V.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 256, 7.9.1987, p. 1.

**▼M15***Article 7*

1. Without prejudice to any other provision on this subject, where the classification indicated in the documentation necessary for importation of the products covered by this Regulation differs from the classification determined by the competent authorities of the Member State into which they are to be imported, the goods in question shall be provisionally subject to the import arrangements which, in accordance with the provisions of this Regulation, are applicable to them on the basis of the classification determined by the abovementioned authorities.
2. The competent authorities of the Member States shall inform the Commission of the cases referred to in paragraph 1, indicating in particular:
  - the quantities of products involved;
  - the category shown on the import documentation and that retained by the competent authorities;
  - where an export licence was issued, the number of the licence and the category shown.
3. The competent authorities of the Member States shall not issue a new import authorization for textile products subject to a Community quantitative limit indicated in Annex V following reclassification until they have obtained confirmation from the Commission that the amounts to be imported are available in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 12.
4. The Commission shall notify the supplier countries concerned of the cases referred to in this Article.

*Article 8*

In the cases referred to in Article 7, as well as in those cases of a similar nature raised by the competent authorities of the supplying countries, the Commission, if necessary, and in accordance with the procedure provided for in Article 16 of the Regulation, shall enter into consultations with the supplier country or countries concerned, in order to reach agreement on the classification definitively applicable to the products involved in the divergence.

*Article 9*

The Commission, in agreement with the competent authorities of the importing Member State or States and of the supplier country or countries, may, in the cases referred to in Article 8 of this Annex, determine the classification definitively applicable to the products involved in the divergence.

*Article 10*

When a case of divergence referred to in Article 7 cannot be resolved in accordance with Article 9, the Commission will adopt, in accordance with the provisions of Article 10 of Regulation (EEC) No 2658/87, a measure establishing the classification of the goods in the combined nomenclature.

## PART II

**Double-checking system  
(for administering quantitative limits)***Article 11*

1. The competent authorities of the supplier countries shall issue an export licence in respect of all consignments of textile products subject to the quantitative limits established in Annex V up to the level of the said limits.
2. The original of the export licence shall be presented by the importer for the purposes of the issue of the import authorization referred to in Article 14.

**▼ M23**

3. Where a supplier country has entered into administrative arrangements with the Community concerning electronic licensing the relevant information may be transmitted by electronic means to replace the grant of export licences in paper form.

**▼ M15***Article 12*

1. The export licence for quantitative limits shall conform to the specimen appended to this Annex which may also contain a translation into another language and shall certify *inter alia* that the quantity of goods in question has been set off against the quantitative limit established for the category of the product concerned.

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3. Each export licence shall cover only one of the categories of products listed in Annex V.

**▼ M23**

4. Where a supplier country has entered into administrative arrangements with the Community concerning electronic licensing the relevant information may be transmitted by electronic means and shall be in substitution of the specimens referred to in paragraphs 1 or 2.

**▼ M15***Article 13*

Exports shall be set off against the quantitative limits established for the year in which the products covered by the export licence have been shipped within the meaning of Article 2 (3) of the Regulation.

*Article 14*

1. Where the Commission, pursuant to Article 12 of this Regulation has confirmed that the amount requested is available within the quantitative limit in question, the authorities of a Member State shall issue an import authorization within a maximum of five working days of the presentation by the importer of the original of the corresponding export licence. This presentation must be effected not later than 31 March of the year following that in which the goods covered by the licence were shipped. In exceptional circumstances the deadline for presentation of the export licence may be put back to 30 June on a duly motivated request by a Member State in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17 of this Regulation <sup>(1)</sup>.

**▼ M23**

2. The import authorisations shall be valid for six months from the date of their issue. Upon duly motivated request by an importer, the competent authorities of a Member State may extend the duration of validity for two further periods of three months. Such extensions shall be notified to the Commission. In exceptional circumstances, an importer may request a third period of extension. These exceptional requests may only be granted by a decision taken in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17(2) of the Regulation.

**▼ M15**

3. The import authorizations of products, drawn up on the form conforming to the specimen set out in Appendix 1 to the present Annex, shall be valid throughout the customs territory of the European Community.

4. The declaration or request made by the importer to the competent authorities in order to obtain the import authorization shall contain:

(a) the names of the importer and full address (including, if any, telephone and fax number, and identification number registered with the competent national authorities), and VAT registration number, if it is a VAT payer;

(b) name and full address of declarant;

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 119, 8.5.1997, p. 1.

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- (c) name and full address of exporter;
- (d) the country of origin of the products and the country of consignment;
- (e) a description of the products including:
  - their commercial designation,
  - description of the products and combined nomenclature (CN) code;
- (f) the appropriate category and the quantity in the appropriate unit as indicated in Annex V for the products in question;
- (g) the value of the products, as indicated in box 12 of the export licence;
- (h) where appropriate, dates of payment and delivery and a copy of the bill of lading and of the purchase contract;
- (i) date and number of the export licence;
- (j) any internal code used for administrative purposes, such as the Taric code;
- (k) date and signature of importer.

The competent authorities may, under the conditions fixed by them, allow the submission of declarations or requests to be transmitted or printed by electronic means. However, all documents and evidence must be available to the competent authorities <sup>(1)</sup>.

5. Importers shall not be obliged to import the total quantity covered by an import authorization in a single consignment.

*Article 15*

The validity of import authorizations issued by the authorities of the Member States shall be subject to the validity of and the quantities indicated in the export licences issued by the competent authorities of the supplier countries on the basis of which the import authorizations have been issued.

*Article 16*

Import authorizations or equivalent documents shall be issued by the competent authorities of the Member States in conformity with Article 2 (2) and without discrimination to any importer in the Community wherever the place of his establishment may be in the Community, without prejudice to compliance with other conditions required under current rules.

*Article 17*

1. If the Commission finds that the total quantities covered by export licences issued by a supplier country for a particular category in any agreement year exceed the quantitative limit established for that category, the competent licence authorities in the Member States shall be informed immediately to suspend the further issue of import authorizations or import documents. In this event, the special consultation procedure set out in Article 16 of the Regulation shall be initiated forthwith by the Commission.

2. The competent authorities of a Member State shall refuse to issue import authorizations for products originating in a supplier country which are not covered by export licences issued in accordance with the provisions of this Annex.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 119, 8.5.1997, p. 1.

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## PART III

**Double-checking system****(for products subject to surveillance)***Article 18*

1. The competent authorities of the supplier countries listed in Table A shall issue an export licence or an export information document in respect of all textile products subject to surveillance procedures under the double-checking system.

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3. The original of the export licence shall be presented by the importer for the purposes of the issue of the import authorization referred to in Article 14.

▼ M23

4. Where a supplier country has entered into administrative arrangements with the Community concerning electronic licensing the relevant information may be transmitted by electronic means to replace the grant of export licences in paper form.

▼ M15*Article 19*

1. The export licence shall conform to the specimen appended to this Annex and may also contain a translation into another language.

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3. Each export licence shall cover only one of the categories of products listed in Table A.

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4. Where a supplier country has entered into administrative arrangements with the Community concerning electronic licensing the relevant information may be transmitted by electronic means and shall be in substitution of the specimens referred to in paragraphs 1 or 2.

▼ M15*Article 20*

Exports shall be recorded under the year in which the products covered by the export licence were shipped.

*Article 21*

1. The authorities of the Member States shall issue an import authorization within a maximum of five working days of the presentation by the importer of the original of the corresponding export licence. This presentation must be effected not later than 31 March of the year following that in which the goods covered by the licence were shipped. In exceptional circumstances the deadline for presentation of the export licence may be put back to 30 June on a duly substantiated request by a Member State and in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17 of this Regulation. ► M32 ◀ Import authorizations, drawn up on the form conforming to the specimen set out in Appendix 1 to this Annex, shall be valid throughout the customs territory of the Community <sup>(1)</sup>.

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2. The import authorisations shall be valid for six months from the date of their issue. Upon duly motivated request by an importer, the competent authorities of a Member State may extend the duration of validity for two further

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 119, 8.5.1997, p. 1.

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periods of three months. Such extensions shall be notified to the Commission. In exceptional circumstances, an importer may request a third period of extension. These exceptional requests may only be granted by a decision taken in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17(2) of the Regulation.

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3. The declaration or request made by the importer to the competent authorities in order to obtain the import authorization shall contain:

- (a) the names of the importer and full address (including, if any, telephone and fax number, and identification number registered with the competent national authorities), and VAT registration number, if it is a VAT payer;
- (b) name and full address of declarant;
- (c) name and full address of exporter;
- (d) the country of origin of the products and the country of consignment;
- (e) a description of the products including:
  - their commercial designation,
  - description of the products and combined nomenclature (CN) code;
- (f) the appropriate category and the quantity in the appropriate unit as indicated in Table A for the products in question;
- (g) the value of the products, as indicated in box 12 of the export licence;
- (h) where appropriate, dates of payment and delivery and a copy of the bill of lading and of the purchase contract;
- (i) date and number of the export licence;
- (j) any internal code used for administrative purposes, such as the Taric code;
- (k) date and signature of importer.

The competent authorities may, under the conditions fixed by them, allow the submission of declarations or requests to be transmitted or printed by electronic means. However, all documents and evidence must be available to the competent authorities <sup>(1)</sup>.

4. Importers shall not be obliged to import the total quantity covered by an import authorization in a single consignment.

*Article 22*

The validity of import authorizations issued by the authorities of the Member States shall be subject to the validity of the export licences issued by the competent authorities of the supplier countries on the basis of which the import authorizations have been issued.

*Article 23*

Import authorizations shall be issued without discrimination to any importer in the Community wherever the place of his establishment may be in the Community, without prejudice to compliance with the other conditions required under current rules.

*Article 24*

The competent authorities of a Member State shall refuse to issue import authorizations for products listed in Table A originating in a supplier country which are not covered by export licences issued in accordance with the provisions of this Annex.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 119, 8.5.1997, p. 1.

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## PART IV

**Single checking system****(for products subject to surveillance)***Article 25*

1. Textile products coming from supplier countries listed in Table B shall be subject to a system of single prior surveillance.
2. The release for free circulation of the products referred to in paragraph 1 shall be subject to presentation of a surveillance document.
3. The competent authorities of the Member States shall issue surveillance documents within a maximum of five working days of a request being submitted by the importer.

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4. Surveillance documents, drawn up on the form conforming to the specimen set out in Appendix I to this Annex or as regards China corresponding to the model in Annex I of Council Regulation 3285/94, shall be valid throughout the customs territory of the European Community. Surveillance documents shall be valid for six months from the date of their issue.

**▼ M15***Article 26*

The declaration or request made by the importer to the competent authorities in order to obtain the surveillance document shall contain:

- (a) the names of the importer and full address (including, if any, telephone and fax number, and identification number registered with the competent national authorities), and VAT registration number, if it is a VAT payer;
- (b) name and full address of declarant;
- (c) name and full address of exporter;
- (d) the country of origin of the products and the country of consignment;
- (e) a description of the products including:
  - their commercial designation,
  - description of the products and combined nomenclature (CN) code;
- (f) the appropriate category and the quantity in the appropriate unit as indicated in Table B for the products in question;
- (g) the value of the products;
- (h) any internal code used for administrative purposes, such as the Taric code;
- (i) date and signature of importer.

and shall be accompanied by a certified copy of the bill of lading, letter of credit, contract or any other commercial document indicating a firm intention to carry out the importation.

The competent authorities may, under the conditions fixed by them, allow the submission of declarations or requests to be transmitted or printed by electronic means. However, all documents and evidence must be available to the competent authorities <sup>(1)</sup>.

**▼ M32***Article 26a*

In case the import of textile and clothing products is subject to prior surveillance measures, Member States shall communicate to the Commission the country of origin, the product category, and the details of the quantity and value of the products for which each surveillance document has been issued. This information shall be provided without delay once the surveillance documents are issued,

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 119, 8.5.1997, p. 1.

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electronically via the integrated network set up for this purpose ('Système Intégré de Gestion de Licences'), in accordance with data formats and procedures to be harmonised.

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## PART V

**A posteriori surveillance****▼ M34***Article 27*

Textile products listed in tables C and D shall be subject to a system of a posteriori statistical surveillance. That surveillance should be administered in accordance with the scheme laid down in Article 308d of Commission Regulation (EEC) No 2454/93 <sup>(1)</sup>. After release for free circulation of the products, the competent authorities of the Member States shall notify the Commission, if possible on a weekly basis but not less frequently than by the 12th of each month for the preceding month, of the total quantities imported and their value, indicating the date of release into free circulation of the products, origin of the products and order number. Such information shall indicate the combined nomenclature code and where appropriate the TARIC subdivisions, the category of products to which they belong, and where applicable the supplementary units required for that nomenclature code. The information has to be in a format compatible with the Surveillance system managed by Directorate-General for Taxation and Customs Union.

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## PART VI

**Common provisions****▼ M20***Article 28*

1. The export licence referred to in Articles 11 and 19 and the certificate of origin may include additional copies duly indicated as such. They shall be made out in English, French or Spanish.
2. If the documents referred to above are completed by hand, entries must be in ink and in block letters.
3. The export licences or equivalent documents and certificates of origin shall measure 210×297 mm <sup>(2)</sup>. The paper shall be white writing paper, sized, not containing mechanical pulp <sup>(3)</sup> and weighing not less than 25 g/m. Each part shall have a printed guilloche pattern background making any falsification by mechanical or chemical means apparent to the eye <sup>(4)</sup>.
4. Only the original shall be accepted by the competent authorities in the Community as being valid for import purposes in accordance with the provisions of this Regulation.
5. Each export licence or equivalent document and the certificate of origin shall bear a standardised serial number, whether or not printed, by which it can be identified <sup>(5)</sup>.

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6. This number shall be composed of the following elements:
  - two letters identifying the exporting country as follows:
    - Belarus = BY
    - Serbia = RS
    - Uzbekistan = UZ

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 253, 11.10.1993, p. 1. Regulation as last amended by Regulation (EC) No 883/2005 (OJ L 148, 11.6.2005, p. 5).

<sup>(2)</sup> This is not obligatory for Thailand.

<sup>(3)</sup> This is not obligatory for Hong Kong.

<sup>(4)</sup> This is not obligatory for Hong Kong and Egypt.

<sup>(5)</sup> In the case of Hong Kong, this is obligatory only for the export licence.

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- two letters identifying the intended Member State of destination, or group of such Member States, as follows:
  - AT = Austria
  - BG = Bulgaria
  - BL = Benelux
  - CY = Cyprus
  - CZ = Czech Republic
  - DE = Federal Republic of Germany
  - DK = Denmark
  - EE = Estonia
  - GR = Greece
  - ES = Spain
  - FI = Finland
  - FR = France
  - GB = United Kingdom
  - HU = Hungary
  - IE = Ireland
  - IT = Italy
  - LT = Lithuania
  - LV = Latvia
  - MT = Malta
  - PL = Poland
  - PT = Portugal
  - RO = Romania
  - SE = Sweden
  - SI = Slovenia
  - SK = Slovakia
- a one-digit number identifying the quota year or the year under which exports were recorded, in the case of products listed in table A of this Annex, corresponding to the last figure in the year in question, e.g. '8' for 2008 and '9' for 2009.
- a two-digit number identifying the issuing office in the exporting country,
- a five-digit number running consecutively from 00001 to 99999 allocated to the specific Member State of destination.

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7. At the request of the importer, the customs authorities of the Member States may accept a single certificate of origin relating to more than one consignment, when goods:
- (a) are the subject of a single export licence;
  - (b) are classified in the same category;
  - (c) come exclusively from the same exporter, are destined for the same importer; and,
  - (d) are made the subject of entry formalities at the same customs office in the Community.

This procedure shall be applicable for the same period as the validity of the import authorisation including any subsequent extension thereof.

Notwithstanding subparagraph (d), if, after the importation of the first consignment, the remaining goods need to be cleared in a customs office different from the customs office where the original certificate of origin was presented, at the written request of the importer, one or several replacement

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certificate(s) of origin may be issued by the first customs office, corresponding with the quantities remaining on the original certificate. The specifications of the replacement certificate shall be identical to those of the original certificate. The replacement certificate shall be regarded as the definitive certificate of origin for the products to which it refers.

**▼ M15***Article 29*

The export licence and the certificate of origin may be issued after the shipment of the products to which they relate. In such cases they shall bear the endorsement '*délivré a posteriori*' or 'issued retrospectively' or '*expedido con posterioridad*'.

*Article 30*

In the event of theft, loss or destruction of an export licence, import licence or a certificate of origin, the exporter may apply to the competent authority which issued the document for a duplicate to be made out on the basis of the export documents in his possession. The duplicate licence or certificate issued in this way shall bear the endorsement '*duplicata*' or 'duplicate' or '*duplicado*'.

The duplicate shall bear the date of the original licence or certificate.

*Article 30a*

The list and addresses of the competent authorities referred to in Articles 14 (4), 21 (1) and (3), 25 (3), 26 and 31 (1) shall be published by the Commission in the *Official Journal of the European Communities* 'C' series <sup>(1)</sup>.

## PART VII

**Community import licence — common form***Article 31*

1. The forms to be used by the competent authorities of the Member States for issuing the import authorizations and surveillance documents referred to in Articles 14 (1), 21 (1) and 25 (3) shall conform to the specimen of the import licence set out in Appendix 1 to this Annex <sup>(2)</sup>.

2. Import licence forms and extracts thereof shall be drawn up in duplicate, one copy, marked 'Holder's copy' and bearing the number 1 to be issued to the applicant, and the other, marked 'Copy for the issuing authority' and bearing the number 2, to be kept by the authority issuing the licence. For administrative purposes the competent authorities may add additional copies to form 2.

3. Forms shall be printed on white paper free of mechanical pulp, dressed for writing and weighing between 55 and 65 grams per square metre. Their size shall be 210 × 297 mm; the type space between the lines shall be 4,24 mm; (one sixth of an inch); the layout of the forms shall be followed precisely. Both sides of copy No 1, which is the licence itself, shall in addition have a red printed guilloche pattern background so as to reveal any falsification by mechanical or chemical means.

4. Member States shall be responsible for having the forms printed. The forms may also be printed by printers appointed by the Member State in which they are established. In the latter case, reference to the appointment by the Member State must appear on each form. Each form shall bear an indication of the printer's name and address or a mark enabling the printer to be identified.

5. At the time of their issue the import licences or extracts shall be given an issue number determined by the competent authorities of the Member State. The import licence number shall be notified to the Commission electronically within the integrated network set up under Article 12.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 119, 8.5.1997, p. 1.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ L 119, 8.5.1997, p. 1.

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6. Licences and extracts shall be completed in the official language, or one of the official languages, of the Member State of issue.

7. In box 10 the competent authorities shall indicate the appropriate textile category.

8. The marks of the issuing agencies and debiting authorities shall be applied by means of a stamp. However, an embossing press combined with letters or figures obtained by means of perforation, or printing on the licence may be substituted for the issuing authority's stamp. The issuing authorities shall use any tamper-proof method to record the quantity allocated in such a way as to make it impossible to insert figures or references (e.g. \*ECU\* 1 000\*).

9. The reverse of copy No 1 and copy No 2 shall bear a box in which quantities may be entered, either by the customs authorities when import formalities are completed, or by the competent administrative authorities when an extract is issued.

If the space set aside for debits on a licence or extract thereof is insufficient, the competent authorities may attach one or more extension pages bearing boxes matching those on the reverse of copy No 1 and copy No 2 of the licence or extract. The debiting authorities shall so place their stamp that one half is on the licence or extract thereof and the other half is on the extension page. If there is more than one extension page, a further stamp shall be placed in like manner across each page and the preceding page.

10. Import licences and extracts issued, and entries and endorsements made, by the authorities of one Member State shall have the same legal effect in each of the other Member States as documents issued, and entries and endorsements made, by the authorities of such Member States.

11. The competent authorities of the Member States concerned may, where indispensable, require the contents of licences or extracts to be translated into the official language or one of the official languages of that Member State.

12. The import licence may be issued by electronic means as long as the customs offices involved have access to this licence across a computer network<sup>(1)</sup>.

## PART VIII

**Transitional provisions***Article 32*

1. Notwithstanding the provisions of Article 31, for a transitional period ending not later than 31 December 1995 and provided that the applicant, at the time of this application has not requested the issue of a Community import licence conforming to the specimen set out in Appendix 1, the competent authorities of the Member States shall be authorized to use their own national forms to issue the import authorizations or surveillance documents and any extracts thereof, instead of the forms referred to in Article 31.

2. Such forms shall give the details referred to in boxes 1 to 13 of the specimen Community import licence shown in Appendix 1. Their validity shall only extend to the territory of the Member State of issue.

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 119, 8.5.1997, p. 1.

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TABLE A

Countries and categories subject to the system of double-checking surveillance

Third country	Group	Category	Unit
Uzbekistan	I A	1	tonnes
		3	tonnes
	I B	4	1 000 pieces
		5	1 000 pieces
		6	1 000 pieces
		7	1 000 pieces
		8	1 000 pieces
	II B	26	1 000 pieces

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Countries and categories subject to the system of a posteriori statistical surveillance for direct imports

Third country	Group	Category	Unit	
All countries	Group I A			
		1	tonnes	
		2	tonnes	
		of which 2 a	tonnes	
		3	tonnes	
		of which 3 a	tonnes	
	ex 20	tonnes		
	Group I B			
		4	1 000 pieces	
		5	1 000 pieces	
		6	1 000 pieces	
		7	1 000 pieces	
		8	1 000 pieces	
	Group II A			
		9	tonnes	
		20	tonnes	
		22	tonnes	
		23	tonnes	
	Group II B			
		12	1 000 pairs	
		13	1 000 pieces	
		14	1 000 pieces	
		15	1 000 pieces	
		16	1 000 pieces	
		17	1 000 pieces	
		18	tonnes	
		21	1 000 pieces	
		24	1 000 pieces	
		26	1 000 pieces	
		28	1 000 pieces	
		29	1 000 pieces	
		31	1 000 pieces	
		68	tonnes	
78	tonnes			
83	tonnes			
Group III A				
	35	tonnes		

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Third country	Group	Category	Unit	
	Group III B			
		97	tonnes	
		97 a	tonnes	
	Group IV			
		115	tonnes	
		117	tonnes	
		118	tonnes	
		122	tonnes	
	Group V			
		136 A	tonnes	
		156	tonnes	
		157	tonnes	
		159	tonnes	
		163	tonnes	

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TABLE D

**Countries and categories subject to a posteriori statistical surveillance for  
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(The complete description of the categories is shown in Annex I)

Third country	Group	Category	Unit

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*Specimen of certificate of origin referred to in Article 28 of Annex III*

(1) Show net weight (kg) and also quantity in the unit prescribed for category where other than net weight — Indiquer le poids net en kilogrammes ainsi que la quantité dans l'unité prévue pour la catégorie si cette unité n'est pas le poids net.  
 (2) In the currency of the sale contract — Dans la monnaie du contrat de vente.

1 Exporter (name, full address, country) Exportateur (nom, adresse complète, pays)	<b>ORIGINAL</b>	2 <b>No</b>
	3 Quota year Année contingentaire	4 Category number Numéro de catégorie
5 Consignee (name, full address, country) Destinataire (nom, adresse complète, pays)	<b>CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN</b> <b>(Textile products)</b> <hr/> <b>CERTIFICAT D'ORIGINE</b> <b>(Produits textiles)</b>	
	6 Country of origin Pays d'origine	7 Country of destination Pays de destination
8 Place and date of shipment — Means of transport Lieu et date d'embarquement — Moyen de transport	9 Supplementary details Données supplémentaires	
10 Marks and numbers — Number and kind of packages — DESCRIPTION OF GOODS Marques et numéros — Nombre et nature des colis — DÉSIGNATION DES MARCHANDISES	11 Quantity (1) Quantité (1)	12 FOB value (2) Valeur fob (2)
	13 CERTIFICATION BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY — VISA DE L'AUTORITÉ COMPÉTENTE I, the undersigned, certify that the goods described above originated in the country shown in box No 6, in accordance with the provisions in force in the European Community. Je soussigné certifie que les marchandises désignées ci-dessus sont originaires du pays figurant dans la case 6, conformément aux dispositions en vigueur dans la Communauté européenne.	
14 Competent authority (name, full address, country) Autorité compétente (nom, adresse complète, pays)	At — À ..... on — le .....  (Signature) (Stamp — Cachet)	

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1 Exporter (name, full address, country) Exportateur (nom, adresse complète, pays)	ORIGINAL	2 No
	3 Quota year Année contingentaire	4 Category number Numéro de catégorie
5 Consignee (name, full address, country) Destinataire (nom, adresse complète, pays)	<b>CERTIFICATE OF ORIGIN</b> <b>(Textile products)</b>	
	6 Country of origin Pays d'origine <b>TAIWAN, R.O.C.</b>	7 Country of destination Pays de destination
8 Place and date of shipment-Means of transport Lieu et date d'embarquement-Moyen de transport	9 Supplementary details Données supplémentaires	
10 Marks and numbers-Number and kind of packages-DESCRIPTION OF GOODS Marques et numéros-Nombre et nature des colis-DESIGNATION DES MARCHANDISES		11 Quantity (1) Quantité (1)
		12 FOB Value (2) Valeur FOB (2)
<b>ORIGINAL</b> <b>FOR ACCOMPANYING SHIPMENTS</b>		
<b>This certificate shall be invalidated in case of any erasion, strikeover and alteration.</b>		
13 CERTIFICATION BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY-VISA DE L'AUTORITÉ COMPÉTENTE I, the undersigned, certify that the goods described above originated in the country shown in box No 6, in accordance with the provisions in force in the European Community. Je soussigné certifie que les marchandises désignées ci-dessus sont originaires du pays figurant dans la case No 6, conformément aux dispositions en vigueur dans la Communauté Européenne.		
14 Competent authority (name, full address, country) Autorité compétente (nom, adresse complète, pays) <b>TAIWAN TEXTILE FEDERATION</b> TTF BUILDING 22, AI KUO EAST ROAD TAIPEI, TAIWAN TELEFAX: (02)2392-3855 TELEPHONE: (02)2341-7251 URL: <a href="http://www.textiles.org.tw">http://www.textiles.org.tw</a>	At-A .....	on-le .....
	(Signature)	(Stamp-Cachet)
第一聯 本聯隨同提貨單寄發進口商		

(1) Show net weight (kg) and also quantity in the unit prescribed for category where other than net weight-indiquer le poids net (kg) ainsi que la quantité dans l'unité prévue pour la catégorie si cette unité n'est pas le poids net.  
 (2) in the currency of the sale contract-Dans la monnaie du contrat de vente

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*Specimen of export licence referred to in Article 19 (1) of Annex III*

(\*) Show net weight (kg) and also quantity in the unit prescribed for category where other than net weight — Indiquer le poids net en kilogrammes ainsi que la quantité dans l'unité prévue pour la catégorie si celle-ci n'est pas le poids net.  
 (†) In the currency of the sale contract — Dans la monnaie du contrat de vente.

1 Exporter (name, full address, country) Exportateur (nom, adresse complète, pays)	<b>ORIGINAL</b>	2 <b>No</b>
	3 Export year Année d'exportation	4 Category number Numéro de catégorie
5 Consignee (name, full address, country) Destinataire (nom, adresse complète, pays)	<p><b>EXPORT LICENCE</b> <b>(Textile products)</b></p> <hr/> <p><b>LICENCE D'EXPORTATION</b> <b>(Produits textiles)</b></p>	
	6 Country of origin Pays d'origine	7 Country of destination Pays de destination
8 Place and date of shipment — Means of transport Lieu et date d'embarquement — Moyen de transport	9 Supplementary details Données supplémentaires  NON-RESTRAINED TEXTILE CATEGORY CATÉGORIE TEXTILE NON LIMITÉE	
10 Marks and numbers — Number and kind of packages — DESCRIPTION OF GOODS Marques et numéros — Nombre et nature des colis — DÉSIGNATION DES MARCHANDISES	11 Quantity (†) Quantité (†)	12 FOB value (‡) Valeur fob (‡)
13 CERTIFICATION BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY — VISA DE L'AUTORITÉ COMPÉTENTE I, the undersigned, certify that the goods described above originated in the country shown in box No 6, in accordance with the provisions in force in the Agreement on trade in textile products between the European Community and ..... Je soussigné certifie que les marchandises désignées ci-dessus sont originaires du pays figurant dans la case 6, conformément aux dispositions en vigueur dans l'accord sur le commerce des produits textiles entre la Communauté européenne et .....		
14 Competent authority (name, full address, country) Autorité compétente (nom, adresse complète, pays)	At — À ..... on — le .....  (Signature) (Stamp — Cachet)	

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<b>1 Exporter</b> (name, full address, country) <b>Exportateur</b> (nom, adresse complète, pays)	<b>ORIGINAL</b>	<b>2 No</b>
	<b>3 Quota year</b> Année contingentaire	<b>4 Category number</b> Numéro de catégorie
<b>5 Consignee</b> (name, full address, country) <b>Destinataire</b> (nom, adresse complète, pays)	<b>EXPORT CERTIFICATE</b> <b>(Textile products)</b>	
	<b>6 Country of origin</b> Pays d'origine TAIWAN, R.O.C.	<b>7 Country of destination</b> Pays de destination
<b>8 Place and date of shipment-Means of transport</b> Lieu et date d'embarquement-Moyen de transport	<b>9 Supplementary details</b> Données supplémentaires	
<b>10 Marks and numbers-Number and Kind of packages-DESCRIPTION OF GOODS</b> Marques et numéros-Nombre et nature des colis-DÉSIGNATION DES MARCHANDISES	<b>11 Quantity (1)</b> Quantité (1)	<b>12 FOB Value (2)</b> Valeur FOB (2)
<b>13 CERTIFICATION BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY-VISA DE L'AUTORITÉ COMPÉTENTE</b> I, the undersigned, certify that the goods described above have been charged against the quantitative limit established for the year shown in box No 3 in respect of the category shown in box No 4 by the provisions regulating trade in textile products with the European Community. Je soussigné certifie que les marchandises désignées ci-dessus ont été imputées sur la limite quantitative fixée pour l'année indiquée dans la case No 3 pour la catégorie désignée dans la case No 4 dans le cadre des dispositions régissant les échanges de produits textiles avec la Communauté Européenne.		
<b>14 Competent authority</b> (name, full address, country) <b>Autorité compétente</b> (nom, adresse complète, pays) <b>TAIWAN TEXTILE FEDERATION</b> TTF BUILDING 22, AI KUO EAST ROAD TAIPEI, TAIWAN TELEFAX:(02)2392-3855 TELEPHONE:(02)2341-7251 URL:http://www.textiles.org.tw	At-A ..... on-le ..... (Signature) (Stamp-Cachet)	

(1) Show net weight (kg) and also quantity in the unit prescribed for category where other than net weight-Indiquer le poids net (kg) ainsi que la quantité dans l'unité prévue pour la catégorie si cette unité n'est pas le poids net.  
 (2) In the currency of the sale contract-Dans la monnaie du contrat de vente

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<b>EUROPEAN COMMUNITY</b>		<b>IMPORT LICENCE</b>	
<b>Holder's copy</b>	<b>1</b>	1. Consignee (name, full address, country, VAT number)	2. Issue number
			3. Quota period
			4. Authority responsible for issue (name, address and telephone No)
		5. Declarant/representative as applicable (name and full address)	6. Country of origin (and geonomenclature code)
			7. Country of consignment (and geonomenclature code)
			8. Last day of validity
	<b>1</b>		
		9. Description of goods	10. CN code
		11. Quantity expressed in quota unit	
		12. Security/guarantee (as applicable)	
	13. Further particulars		
	14. Competent authority's endorsement		
	Date:		
	Signature:	Stamp:	

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15. ATTRIBUTIONS					
Indicate the quantity available in part 1 of column 17 and the quantity attributed in part 2 thereof					
16. Net quantity (net mass or other unit of measure stating the unit)		17. In figures	18. In words for the quantity attributed	19. Customs document (form and number) or extract No and date of attribution	20. Name, Member State, stamp and signature of the attributing authority
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## EUROPEAN COMMUNITY

## IMPORT LICENCE

<b>Copy for the issuing authority</b>	<b>2</b>	1. Consignee (name, full address, country, VAT number)	2. Issue number
			3. Quota period
			4. Authority responsible for issue (name, address and telephone No)
		5. Declarant/representative as applicable (name, and full address)	6. Country of origin (and geonomenclature code)
			7. Country of consignment (and geonomenclature code)
			8. Last day of validity
		9. Description of goods	10. CN code
			11. Quantity expressed in quota unit
			12. Security/guarantee (as applicable)
		13. Further particulars	
		14. Competent authority's endorsement	
		Date:	
		Signature:	Stamp:

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15. ATTRIBUTIONS			
Indicate the quantity available in part 1 of column 17 and the quantity attributed in part 2 thereof			
16. Net quantity (net mass or other unit of measure stating the unit)		19. Customs document (form and number) or extract No and date of attribution	20. Name, Member State, stamp and signature of the attributing authority
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▼ **M9***ANNEX IV*

referred to in Article 1

**Administrative cooperation***Article 1*

The Commission shall supply the Member States' authorities with the names and addresses of authorities in the supplying countries competent to issue certificates of origin and export licences together with specimens of the stamps used by these authorities.

*Article 2*

For the textile products subject to quantitative limits referred to in Article 2 of the Regulation or to the surveillance measures with a double-checking system referred to in Annex III, Member States shall notify the Commission within the first 10 days of each month of the total quantities, in the appropriate units and by country of origin and category of products, for which import authorizations have been issued during the preceding month.

*Article 3*

1. Subsequent verification of certificates of origin or export licences shall be carried out at random, or whenever the competent authorities of the Community have reasonable doubt as to the authenticity of the certificate of origin or export licence or as to the accuracy of the information regarding the true origin of the products in question.

In such cases the competent authorities of the Community shall return the certificate of origin or the export licence or a copy thereof to the competent governmental authority in the supplying country concerned, giving, where appropriate, the reasons of form or substance for an enquiry. If the invoice has been submitted, such invoice or a copy thereof shall be attached to the certificate of origin or export licence or copy thereof. The competent authorities shall also forward any information that has been offered suggesting that the particulars given on the said certificate or the said licence are inaccurate.

2. The provisions of paragraph 1 shall also apply to subsequent verifications of declarations of origin.

3. The results of the subsequent verifications carried out in accordance with paragraph 1 shall be communicated to the competent authorities of the Community within three months at the latest.

The information communicated shall indicate whether the disputed certificate, licence or declaration applies to the goods actually exported and whether the goods are eligible for export to the Community under this Regulation. The competent authorities of the Community may also request copies of all documentation necessary to determine the facts fully, including, in particular, the origin of the goods <sup>(1)</sup>.

4. Should such verifications reveal abuse or major irregularities in the use of declarations of origin, the Member State concerned shall inform the Commission of this fact. The Commission shall pass the information on to the other Member States.

At the request of a Member State or on the initiative of the Commission, the Committee on Origin shall, as soon as possible and in accordance with the procedure specified in Article 248 of Council Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92 <sup>(2)</sup>, examine whether it is desirable to require the production of a certificate of origin in respect of the products and the supplying country concerned.

The decision shall be taken in accordance with the procedure specified in Article 249 of Regulation (EEC) No 2913/92.

<sup>(1)</sup> For the purpose of subsequent verification of certificates of origin, copies of the certificates as well as any export documents referring to them shall be kept for at least two years by the competent governmental authority in each supplying country.

<sup>(2)</sup> OJ No L 302, 19.10.1992, p. 1.

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5. Random recourse to the procedure specified in this Article shall not constitute an obstacle to the release for home use of the products in question.

*Article 4*

1. Where the verification procedure referred to in Article 2 or where information available to the competent authorities of the Community indicates that the provisions of this Regulation are being contravened, the said authorities shall request the supplier country or countries concerned to carry out appropriate enquiries or arrange for such enquiries to be carried out concerning operations which are or appear to be in contravention of the provisions of this Regulation. The results of these enquiries shall be communicated to the competent authorities of the Community together with any other pertinent information enabling the true origin of the goods to be determined.

2. In pursuance of the action taken under the terms of this Annex, the competent authorities of the Community may exchange any information with the competent governmental authorities of supplier countries which is considered to be of use in preventing the contravention of the provisions of this Regulation.

3. Where it is established that the provisions of this Regulation have been contravened, the Commission, acting according to the procedure laid down in Article 17 of the Regulation, may take, with the agreement of the supplier country or countries concerned, such measures as are necessary to prevent recurrence of such contravention.

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The Commission shall coordinate the actions undertaken by the competent authorities of the Member States under the provisions of this Annex. The competent authorities of the Member States shall inform the Commission and the other Member States of actions which they have undertaken and the results obtained.

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## ANNEX V

## COMMUNITY QUANTITATIVE LIMITS

Applicable for the year 2009

BELARUS	Category	unit	Quota as from 1 January 2009
Group IA	1	tonnes	1 586
	2	tonnes	6 643
	3	tonnes	242
Group IB	4	T pieces	1 839
	5	T pieces	1 105
	6	T pieces	1 705
	7	T pieces	1 377
	8	T pieces	1 160
Group IIA	20	tonnes	329
	22	tonnes	524
Group IIB	15	T pieces	1 726
	21	T pieces	930
	24	T pieces	844
	26/27	T pieces	1 117
	29	T pieces	468
	73	T pieces	329
Group IIIB	67	tonnes	359
Group IV	115	tonnes	420
	117	tonnes	2 312
	118	tonnes	471

T pieces: thousand of pieces

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Category	Third Country	Remarks
4	China	For the purpose of setting off exports against the agreed levels a conversion rate of five garments (other than babies' garments) of a maximum commercial size of 130 cm for three garments whose commercial size exceeds 130 cm may be applied for up to 5 % of the agreed levels. The export licence concerning these products must bear, in box 9, the words 'The conversion rate for garments of a commercial size of not more than 130 cm must be applied'

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## ANNEX Va

## COMMUNITY QUANTITATIVE LIMITS referred to under Article 2(5)

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits
			Quota levels applicable in 2004
Argentina	GROUP I A		
	1	tonnes	6 010
	2	tonnes	8 551
	2 a	tonnes	7 622
China <sup>(2)</sup> <sup>(3)</sup>	GROUP I A		
	1	tonnes	4 770
	2 (*) <sup>(1)</sup>	tonnes	30 556
	of which 2 a	tonnes	4 359
	3	tonnes	8 088
	of which 3 a	tonnes	2 769
	GROUP I B		
	4 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	126 808
	5 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	39 422
	6 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	40 913
	7 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	17 093
	8 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	27 723
	GROUP II A		
	9	tonnes	6 962
	20/39	tonnes	11 361
	22	tonnes	19 351
	23	tonnes	11 847
	GROUP II B		
	12	1 000 pairs	132 029
	13	1 000 pieces	586 244
	14	1 000 pieces	17 887
	15 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	20 131
	16	1 000 pieces	17 181
	17	1 000 pieces	13 061
	26 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	6 645
	28	1 000 pieces	92 909
	29	1 000 pieces	15 687
	31	1 000 pieces	96 488
	78	tonnes	36 651
	83	tonnes	10 883
GROUP III B			
97	tonnes	2 861	
GROUP V			
163 <sup>(1)</sup>	tonnes	8 481	

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Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits
			Quota levels applicable in 2004
Hong Kong	GROUP I A		
	2	tonnes	14 172
	2 a	tonnes	12 166
	3	tonnes	11 912
	3 a	tonnes	8 085
	GROUP I B		
	4 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	58 250
	5	1 000 pieces	40 240
	6 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	79 703
	6 a	1 000 pieces	68 857
	7	1 000 pieces	42 372
	8	1 000 pieces	59 172
	GROUP II A		
	39	tonnes	2 444
	GROUP II B		
	12	1 000 pairs	53 159
	13 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	117 655
	16	1 000 sets	4 707
	26	1 000 pieces	12 498
	29	1 000 sets	5 191
	31	1 000 pieces	35 442
	78	tonnes	14 658
	83	tonnes	792
India	GROUP I A		
	1	tonnes	55 398
	2	tonnes	67 539
	2 a	tonnes	30 211
	3	tonnes	38 567
	3 a	tonnes	7 816
	GROUP I B		
	4 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	100 237
	5	1 000 pieces	53 303
	6 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	13 706
	7	1 000 pieces	78 485
	8	1 000 pieces	58 173
	GROUP II A		
	9	tonnes	15 656
	20	tonnes	29 049
	23	tonnes	31 206
	39	tonnes	9 185
	GROUP II B		
	15	1 000 pieces	10 238
	26	1 000 pieces	24 712
	29	1 000 pieces	14 637

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Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits
			Quota levels applicable in 2004
Indonesia	GROUP I A		
	1	tonnes	22 559
	2	tonnes	34 126
	2 a	tonnes	12 724
	3	tonnes	31 250
	3 a	tonnes	16 872
	GROUP I B		
	4	1 000 pieces	59 337
	5	1 000 pieces	58 725
	6 (1)	1 000 pieces	21 429
	7	1 000 pieces	15 694
	8	1 000 pieces	24 626
	GROUP II A		
	23	tonnes	32 405
	GROUP III A		
35	tonnes	32 725	
Macao	GROUP I B		
	4 (1)	1 000 pieces	15 051
	5	1 000 pieces	14 055
	6 (1)	1 000 pieces	15 179
	7	1 000 pieces	5 907
	8	1 000 pieces	8 257
	GROUP II A		
	20	tonnes	244
	39	tonnes	307
	GROUP II B		
	13	1 000 pieces	9 446
	15	1 000 pieces	651
	16	1 000 pieces	508
	26	1 000 pieces	1 322
	31	1 000 pieces	10 789
78	tonnes	2 115	
83	tonnes	517	
Malaysia	GROUP I A		
	2	tonnes	8 870
	2 a	tonnes	3 406
	3 (1)	tonnes	18 594
	3 a (1)	tonnes	7 652
	GROUP I B		
	4 (1)	1 000 pieces	21 805
	5	1 000 pieces	10 132
	6 (1)	1 000 pieces	12 831
	7	1 000 pieces	43 822
	8	1 000 pieces	10 500
	GROUP II A		
	22	tonnes	18 573

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Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits
			Quota levels applicable in 2004
Pakistan	GROUP I A		
	1 <sup>(1)</sup>	tonnes	25 961
	2	tonnes	51 252
	2 a	tonnes	19 376
	3	tonnes	86 004
	GROUP I B		
	4 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	50 030
	5	1 000 pieces	14 849
	6	1 000 pieces	53 885
	7	1 000 pieces	36 205
	8	1 000 pieces	8 350
	GROUP II A		
	9	tonnes	15 398
	20	tonnes	59 896
	39	tonnes	20 156
	GROUP II B		
	26	1 000 pieces	35 434
	28	1 000 pieces	128 083
	Peru	GROUP I A	
1 <sup>(1)</sup>		tonnes	24 085
2		tonnes	18 080
Philippines	GROUP I B		
	4 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	32 787
	5	1 000 pieces	16 653
	6 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	15 388
	7	1 000 pieces	8 185
	8	1 000 pieces	9 275
	GROUP II B		
	13	1 000 pieces	42 526
	15	1 000 pieces	5 213
	26	1 000 pieces	6 964
31	1 000 pieces	26 364	
Singapore	GROUP I A		
	2	tonnes	5 895
	2 a	tonnes	2 846
	3	tonnes	2 009
	GROUP I B		
	4 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	35 106
	5	1 000 pieces	19 924
	6 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	21 452
	7	1 000 pieces	17 176
	8	1 000 pieces	10 343

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Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits
			Quota levels applicable in 2004
South Korea	GROUP I A		
	1	tonnes	932
	2	tonnes	6 290
	2 a	tonnes	1 156
	3	tonnes	9 470
	3 a	tonnes	5 156
	GROUP I B		
	4 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	16 962
	5	1 000 pieces	36 754
	6 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	6 749
	7	1 000 pieces	10 785
	8	1 000 pieces	34 921
	GROUP II A		
	9	tonnes	1 721
	22	tonnes	22 841
	GROUP II B		
	12	1 000 pairs	231 975
	13	1 000 pieces	17 701
	14	1 000 pieces	8 961
	15	1 000 pieces	12 744
	16	1 000 pieces	1 285
	17	1 000 pieces	3 524
	26	1 000 pieces	3 345
	28	1 000 pieces	1 359
	29 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	857
	31	1 000 pieces	8 318
	78	tonnes	9 358
	83	tonnes	485
	GROUP III A		
	35	tonnes	17 631
	50	tonnes	1 463
	GROUP III B		
	97	tonnes	2 783
97 a <sup>(1)</sup>	tonnes	889	

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Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits
			Quota levels applicable in 2004
Taiwan	GROUP I A		
	2	tonnes	5 994
	2 a	tonnes	595
	3	tonnes	12 143
	3 a	tonnes	4 485
	GROUP I B		
	4 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	12 468
	5	1 000 pieces	22 264
	6 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	6 215
	7	1 000 pieces	3 823
	8	1 000 pieces	9 821
	GROUP II A		
	20	tonnes	369
	22	tonnes	10 054
	23	tonnes	6 524
	GROUP II B		
	12	1 000 pairs	43 744
	13	1 000 pieces	3 765
	14	1 000 pieces	5 076
	15	1 000 pieces	3 162
	16	1 000 pieces	530
	17	1 000 pieces	1 014
	26	1 000 pieces	3 467
	28 <sup>(1)</sup>	1 000 pieces	2 549
	78	tonnes	5 815
	83	tonnes	1 300
	GROUP III A		
	35	tonnes	12 480
	GROUP III B		
	97	tonnes	1 783
	97 a <sup>(1)</sup>	tonnes	807

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Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits
			Quota levels applicable in 2004
Thailand	GROUP I A		
	1	tonnes	25 175
	2	tonnes	18 729
	2 a	tonnes	4 987
	3 <sup>(1)</sup>	tonnes	34 101
	3 a <sup>(1)</sup>	tonnes	9 517
	GROUP I B		
	4	1 000 pieces	55 198
	5	1 000 pieces	38 795
	6	1 000 pieces	16 568
	7	1 000 pieces	13 169
	8	1 000 pieces	6 856
	GROUP II A		
	20	tonnes	15 443
	22	tonnes	7 478
	GROUP II B		
	12	1 000 pairs	49 261
	26	1 000 pieces	11 460
	GROUP III B		
	97	tonnes	3 445
97 a <sup>(1)</sup>	tonnes	2 911	

<sup>(1)</sup> See appendix A.

<sup>(2)</sup> See appendix B.

<sup>(3)</sup> See appendix C.

<sup>(\*)</sup> Possibility to transfer to and from category 3 up to 40 % of the category to which the transfer is made.

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Category	Third Country	Remarks
1	Pakistan	The following additional quantities may be added to the relevant annual quantitative limit (tonnes): 509 These quantities may subject to notification be transferred to the relevant quantitative limits for category 2. Part of the quantity so transferred may be used on a pro rata basis for category 2a)
	Peru	In addition to the quantitative limits shown in Annex Va, an additional annual quantity of 900 tonnes of products falling within category 1 is reserved for imports into the Community for processing by the Community industry
2	China	For fabrics below 115 cm in width (CN codes: 5208 11 90, ex 5208 12 16, ex 5208 12 96, 5208 13 00, 5208 19 00, 5208 21 90, ex 5208 22 16, ex 5208 22 96, 5208 23 00, 5208 29 00, 5208 31 00, ex 5208 32 16, ex 5208 32 96, 5208 33 00, 5208 39 00, 5208 41 00, 5208 42 00, 5208 43 00, 5208 49 00, 5208 51 00, 5208 52 10, 5208 53 00, 5208 59 00, 5209 11 00, 5209 12 00, 5209 19 00, 5209 21 00, 5209 22 00, 5209 29 00, 5209 31 00, 5209 32 00, 5209 39 00, 5209 41 00, 5209 42 00, 5209 43 00, 5209 49 90, 5209 51 00, 5209 52 00, 5209 59 00, 5210 11 10, 5210 12 00, 5210 19 00, 5210 31 10, 5210 32 00, 5210 39 00, 5210 41 00, 5210 42 00, 5210 49 00, 5211 11 00, 5211 12 00, 5211 19 00, 5211 31 00, 5211 32 00, 5211 39 00, 5211 41 00, 5211 42 00, 5211 43 00, ex 5211 49 10, 5211 49 90, 5212 11 10, 5212 11 90, 5212 13 90, 5212 14 10, 5212 14 90, 5212 21 10, 5212 21 90, 5212 23 10, 5212 23 90, 5212 24 10, 5212 24 90, ex 5811 00 00 and ex 6308 00 00) the following additional quantities may be exported to the Community by China (tonnes): 1 454 For fabrics of category 2 for medical gauze (CN codes: 5208 11 10 and 5208 21 10) the following additional quantities may be exported to the Community by China (tonnes): 2 009 Possibility of transfer to and from category 3 of up to 40 % of the category to which the transfer is made
3	Malaysia Thailand	The quantitative limits shown in Annex Va include cotton fabric falling within category 2
3 a	Malaysia Thailand	The quantitative limits shown in Annex Va include cotton fabric other than unbleached or bleached falling within category 2a)
4	China Hong Kong India Macao Malaysia	For the purpose of setting off exports against the agreed quantitative limits a conversion rate of five garments (other than babies' garments) of a maximum commercial size of 130 cm for three garments whose commercial size exceeds 130 cm may be applied for up to 5 % of the quantitative limits

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Category	Third Country	Remarks
5	Pakistan Philippines Singapore South Korea Taiwan	For Hong Kong, Macao and South Korea, this figure shall be 3 %, and for Taiwan 4 % The export licence concerning these products must bear, in box 9, the words The conversion rate for garments of a commercial size of not more than 130 cm must be applied
	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 700 For products of category 5 (other than anoraks, wind-cheaters, waister jackets and the like) of fine animal hair falling within CN codes: 6110 10 35, 6110 10 38, 6110 10 95 and 6110 10 98 , the following sublimits apply within the quantitative limits established for category 5 (1 000 pieces): 250
6	China	The figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 1 274 The following additional quantities of shorts (CN codes 6203 41 90, 6203 42 90, 6203 43 90, and 6203 49 50) may be exported by China to the Community (1 000 pieces): 1 266
	Hong Kong India Indonesia Macao Malaysia Philippines Singapore South Korea Taiwan	For the purpose of setting off exports against the agreed quantitative limits a conversion rate of five garments (other than babies' garments) of a maximum commercial size of 130 cm for three garments whose commercial size exceeds 130 cm may be applied for up to 5 % of the quantitative limits For Macao this figure shall be 3 % and for Hong Kong it shall be 1 % Utilisation of the conversion rate for Hong Kong is limited in respect of long trousers to the subceiling shown below The export licence concerning these products must bear, in box 9, the words 'The conversion rate for garments of a commercial size of not more than 130 cm must be applied'
	Hong Kong	Within the quantitative limits laid down in Annex Va there are the following subceilings for long trousers falling within CN codes: 6203 41 10, 6203 42 31, 6203 42 33, 6203 42 35, 6203 43 19, 6203 49 19, 6204 61 10, 6204 62 31, 6204 62 33, 6204 62 39, 6204 63 18, 6204 69 18, 6211 32 42, 6211 33 42, 6211 42 42 and 6211 43 42 (1 000 pieces): 68 857 The export licence covering these products should be endorsed 'category 6 A'.
7	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 755
8	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 1 220

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Category	Third Country	Remarks
13	Hong Kong	The quantitative limits shown in Annex Va cover only products of cotton or synthetic fibres falling within CN codes: 6107 11 00, ex 6107 12 00, 6108 21 00, ex 6108 22 00 and ex 6212 10 10. In addition to the quantitative limits shown in Annex Va, the following specific quantities were agreed for exports of products (of wool or regenerated fibres) falling within CN codes: Ex 6107 12 00, ex 6107 19 00, ex 6108 22 00, ex 6108 29 00 and ex 6212 10 10 (tonnes): 3 002 The export licence covering these products should be endorsed 'category 13 S'.
15	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 371
26	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (1 000 pieces): 370
28	Taiwan	In addition to the quantitative limits laid down in Annex Va, specific quantities were agreed for exports of bib and brace overalls, breeches and shorts falling within CN codes: 6103 41 90, 6103 42 90, 6103 43 90, 6103 49 91, 6104 61 90, 6104 62 90, 6104 63 90 and 6104 69 91: 1 226 368 pieces.
29	South Korea	In addition to the quantitative limits laid down in Annex Va, additional quantities are reserved for martial arts (judo, karate, kung fu, taekwondo or the like) clothing (1 000 pieces): 454
97 a	South Korea Taiwan Thailand	Fine nets (CN codes: 5608 11 19 and 5608 11 99)
163	China	These figures include the following quantities reserved for European industry for a period of 180 days each year (tons): 400
All categories subject to quantitative limits	Vietnam	Vietnam shall reserve 30 % of its quantitative limits for firms belonging to the Community textile industry for a period of four months beginning on 1 January of each year, on the basis of lists provided by the Community before 30 October of the preceding year

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Third country	Category	Unit	2004
China	The following quantities made available for the year 2004, may be used exclusively at European fairs:		
	1	tonnes	317
	2	tonnes	1 338
	2 a	tonnes	159
	3	tonnes	196
	3 a	tonnes	27
	4	1 000 pieces	2 061
	5	1 000 pieces	705
	6	1 000 pieces	1 689
	7	1 000 pieces	302
	8	1 000 pieces	992
	9	tonnes	294
	12	1 000 pairs	843
	13	1 000 pieces	3 192
	20/39	tonnes	372
22	tonnes	332	

Flexibilities provided for in Article 7 of and Annex VIIIa to Council Regulation 3030/93 for China are applicable to the above categories and amounts

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Third country	Category	Unit	2004
China	GROUP I		
	ex 20 <sup>(1)</sup>	tonnes	59
	GROUP IV		
	115	tonnes	1 413
	117	tonnes	684
	118	tonnes	1 513
	122	tonnes	220
	GROUP V		
	136 A	tonnes	462
	156 <sup>(2)</sup>	tonnes	3 986
	157 <sup>(2)</sup>	tonnes	13 738
	159 <sup>(2)</sup>	tonnes	4 352

<sup>(1)</sup> Categories marked by ex cover products other than those of wool or fine animal hairs, cotton or synthetic or artificial textile materials.

<sup>(2)</sup> For these categories, China undertakes to reserve, as a priority 23 % of the quantitative limits concerned for users belonging to the textile Community industry during 90 days beginning on 1 January of each year.

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## ANNEX VI

## Referred to in Article 3

## Cottage industry and folklore products

1. The exemption provided for in Article 3 in respect of cottage industry products shall apply only to the following types of products:
  - (a) fabrics woven on looms operated solely by hand or foot, being fabrics of a kind traditionally made in the cottage industry of each supplier country;
  - (b) garments or other textile articles of a kind traditionally made in the cottage industry of each supplier country, obtained manually from the fabrics referred to above and sewn exclusively by hand without the aid of any machine. In the case of India and Pakistan, the exemption shall apply to cottage industry products made by hand from the products described in subparagraph (a);
  - (c) traditional folklore products of each supplier country, made by hand, listed in an Annex to the bilateral agreements or arrangements concerned.

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These three treatments are carried out for each of the colours or shades applied to the fabrics.

2. Exemption shall be granted only in respect of products covered by a certificate conforming to the specimen attached to this Annex and issued by the competent authorities in the supplier country.

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In the case of Vietnam, the certificates concerning the products envisaged in indent (c) above must bear a stamp 'Folklore' marked clearly. In the case of a difference of opinion between the Community and this country concerning the nature of these products, consultations shall be held within one month in order to resolve these differences.

The certificate shall specify the grounds on which exemption is granted.

3. Should imports of any product covered by this Annex reach proportions liable to cause problems within the Community, consultations with the supplying countries shall be initiated as soon as possible, with a view to resolving the situation by the adoption of a quantitative limit or surveillance measures, in accordance with Articles 10 and 13 of this Regulation.

The provisions of Part VI of Annex III shall apply *mutatis mutandis* to the products covered in paragraph 1 of this Annex.

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1 Exporter (name, full address, country) Exportateur (nom, adresse complète, pays)	<b>ORIGINAL</b>		2 No
3 Consignee (name, full address, country) Destinataire (nom, adresse complète, pays)	<b>CERTIFICATE in regard to HANDLOOMS, TEXTILE HANDICRAFTS and TRADITIONAL TEXTILE PRODUCTS, OF THE COTTAGE INDUSTRY, issued in conformity with and under the conditions regulating trade in textile products with the European Community</b>  <b>CERTIFICAT relatif aux TISSUS TISSÉS SUR MÉTIERS À MAIN, aux PRODUITS TEXTILES FAITS À LA MAIN, et aux PRODUITS TEXTILES RELEVANT DU FOLKLORE TRADITIONNEL, DE FABRICATION ARTISANALE, délivré en conformité avec et sous les conditions régissant les échanges de produits textiles avec la Communauté européenne</b>		
6 Place and date of shipment — Means of transport Lieu et date d'embarquement — Moyen de transport	4 Country of origin Pays d'origine	5 Country of destination Pays de destination	
7 Supplementary details Données supplémentaires			
8 Marks and numbers — Number and kind of packages — DESCRIPTION OF GOODS Marques et numéros — Nombre et nature des colis — DÉSIGNATION DES MARCHANDISES	9 Quantity Quantité	10 FOB Value (*) Valeur fob (*)	
<p>11 CERTIFICATION BY THE COMPETENT AUTHORITY — VISA DE L'AUTORITÉ COMPÉTENTE</p> <p>I, the undersigned, certify that the consignment described above includes only the following textile products of the cottage industry of the country shown in box No 4:</p> <p>a) fabrics woven on looms operated solely by hand or foot (<i>handlooms</i>) (*)</p> <p>b) garments or other textile articles obtained manually from the fabrics described under a) and sewn solely by hand without the aid of any machine (<i>handicrafts</i>) (*)</p> <p>c) traditional folklore handicraft textile products made by hand, as defined in the list agreed between the European Community and the country shown in box No 4.</p> <p>Je soussigné certifie que l'envoi décrit ci-dessus contient exclusivement les produits textiles suivants relevant de la fabrication artisanale du pays figurant dans la case 4:</p> <p>a) tissus tissés sur des métiers actionnés à la main ou au pied (<i>handlooms</i>) (*)</p> <p>b) vêtements ou autres articles textiles obtenus manuellement à partir de tissus décrits sous a) et cousus uniquement à la main sans l'aide d'une machine (<i>handicrafts</i>) (*)</p> <p>c) produits textiles relevant du folklore traditionnel fabriqués à la main, comme définis dans la liste convenue entre la Communauté européenne et le pays indiqué dans la case 4.</p>			
12 Competent authority (name, full address, country) Autorité compétente (nom, adresse complète, pays)	<p>At — À ....., on — le .....</p> <p>(Signature) (Stamp — Cachet)</p>		

(\*) In the currency of the sale contract. — Dans la monnaie du contrat de vente.  
(\*) Delete as appropriate. — Biffer la (les) mention(s) inutile(s).

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## Outward processing traffic

*Article 1*

Re-imports into the Community of textile products listed in column 2 of the table attached to this Annex, effected in accordance with the Regulations on economic outward processing in force in the Community, shall not be subject to the quantitative limits referred to in Article 2 of the Regulation where they are subject to specific quantitative limits given in column 4 of the table and have been re-imported after processing in the corresponding third country listed in column 1 for each of the quantitative limits specified.

*Article 2*

Re-imports not covered by this Annex may be subject to specific quantitative limits in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17 of the Regulation, provided that the products concerned are subject to the quantitative limits laid down in Article 2 of this Regulation.

*Article 3*

1. Transfers between categories and advance use or carry-over of portions of specific quantitative limits from one year to another may be carried out in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17 of the Regulation.
2. However, automatic transfers in accordance with paragraph 1 may be carried out within the following limits:
  - transfer between categories for up to 20 % of the quantitative limit established for the category to which the transfer is made,
  - carry-over of a specific quantitative limit from one year to another for up to 10,5 % of the quantitative limit established for the actual year of utilization,
  - advance use of a specific quantitative limit for up to 7,5 % of the quantitative limit established for the actual year of utilization.
3. Where there is a need for additional imports the specific quantitative limits may be adjusted in accordance with the procedure laid down in Article 17 of the Regulation.
4. The Commission shall inform the third country or countries concerned of any measures taken pursuant to the preceding paragraphs.

*Article 4*

1. For the purpose of applying Article 1, the competent authorities of the Member States, before issuing prior authorisations in accordance with the relevant Community Regulations on economic outward processing, shall notify the Commission of the amounts of the requests for authorisations which they have received. The Commission shall notify its confirmation that the requested amount(s) are available for re-importation within the respective Community limits in accordance with the relevant Community Regulations on economic outward processing.
2. The requests included in the notifications to the Commission shall be valid if they establish clearly in each case:
  - (a) the third country in which the goods are to be processed;
  - (b) the category of textile products concerned;
  - (c) the amount to be re-imported;
  - (d) the Member State in which the re-imported products are to be put into free circulation;
  - (e) an indication as to whether the requests relate to
    - (i) a past beneficiary applying for the quantities set aside under Article 3(4) or in accordance with the fifth subparagraph of Article 3(5) of Council Regulation (EC) No 3036/94 <sup>(1)</sup>, or to

<sup>(1)</sup> OJ L 322, 15.12.1994, p. 1.

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- (ii) an applicant under the third subparagraph of Article 3(4) or under Article 3(5) of that Regulation.
3. Normally the notifications referred to in the previous paragraphs of this Article shall be communicated electronically within the integrated network set up for this purpose, unless for imperative technical reasons it is necessary to use other means of communication temporarily.
  4. As far as possible, the Commission shall confirm to the authorities the full amount indicated in the requests notified for each category of products and each third country concerned. Notifications presented by Member States for which no confirmation can be given because the amounts requested are no longer available within the Community quantitative limits, will be stored by the Commission in the chronological order in which they have been received and confirmed in the same order as soon as further amounts become available through the application of flexibilities foreseen in Article 3.
  5. The competent authorities shall notify the Commission immediately after being informed of any quantity that is not used during the duration of validity of the import authorisation. Such unused quantities shall automatically be recredited to the quantities within the Community quantitative limits not set aside pursuant to the first subparagraph of Article 3(4) or to the fifth subparagraph of Article 3(5) of Council Regulation (EC) No 3036/94.

The quantities for which a renunciation has been made pursuant to the third sub-paragraph of Article 3(4) of Council Regulation (EC) No 3036/94, shall automatically be added to the quantities within the Community quota that are not set aside pursuant to the first sub-paragraph of Article 3(4) or to the fifth sub-paragraph of Article 3(5) of the said Regulation.

All such quantities as outlined in the preceding subparagraphs shall be notified to the Commission in accordance with paragraph 3 above.

*Article 5*

The certificate of origin shall be issued by the competent governmental authorities in the supplier country concerned, in accordance with the Community legislation in force and the provisions of Annex III for all products covered by this Annex.

*Article 6*

The competent authorities of the Member States shall supply the Commission with the names and addresses of the authorities competent to issue the prior authorisations referred to in Article 4 together with specimens of the stamp impressions used by them.

▼ M42*Table***Community quantitative limits for goods re-imported under outward processing traffic**

Applicable for the year 2009

BELARUS	Category	Unit	As from 1 January 2009
Group IB	4	1 000 pieces	6 610
	5	1 000 pieces	9 215
	6	1 000 pieces	12 290
	7	1 000 pieces	9 225
	8	1 000 pieces	3 140
Group IIB	15	1 000 pieces	5 387
	21	1 000 pieces	3 584
	24	1 000 pieces	922
	26/27	1 000 pieces	4 492
	29	1 000 pieces	1 820
	73	1 000 pieces	6 979

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## ANNEX VII a

TABLE

COMMUNITY QUANTITATIVE LIMITS FOR GOODS RE-IMPORTED  
UNDER OPT referred to under Article 2(5)

Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits
			2004
Belarus	GROUP I B		
	4	1 000 pieces	4 432
	5	1 000 pieces	6 179
	6	1 000 pieces	7 526
	7	1 000 pieces	5 586
	8	1 000 pieces	1 966
	GROUP II B		
	12	1 000 pairs	4 163
	13	1 000 pieces	419
	15	1 000 pieces	3 228
	16	1 000 pieces	736
	21	1 000 pieces	2 403
	24	1 000 pieces	526
	26/27	1 000 pieces	2 598
	29	1 000 pieces	1 221
	73	1 000 pieces	4 679
	83	tonnes	622
	GROUP III B		
	74	1 000 pieces	816
China	GROUP I B		
	4	1 000 pieces	337
	5	1 000 pieces	746
	6	1 000 pieces	2 707
	7	1 000 pieces	724
	8	1 000 pieces	1 644
	GROUP II B		
	13	1 000 pieces	888
	14	1 000 pieces	660
	15	1 000 pieces	679
	16	1 000 pieces	1 032
	17	1 000 pieces	868
	26	1 000 pieces	1 281
	29	1 000 pieces	129
	31	1 000 pieces	10 199
	78	tonnes	105
	83	tonnes	105
GROUP V			
159	tonnes	9	

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Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits
			2004
India	GROUP I B		
	7	1 000 pieces	4 987
	8	1 000 pieces	3 770
	GROUP II B		
	15	1 000 pieces	380
	26	1 000 pieces	3 555
Indonesia	GROUP I B		
	6	1 000 pieces	2 456
	7	1 000 pieces	1 633
	8	1 000 pieces	2 045
Macao	GROUP I B		
	6	1 000 pieces	335
	GROUP II B		
	16	1 000 pieces	906
Malaysia	GROUP I B		
	4	1 000 pieces	594
	5	1 000 pieces	594
	6	1 000 pieces	594
	7	1 000 pieces	383
	8	1 000 pieces	308
Pakistan	GROUP I B		
	4	1 000 pieces	8 273
	5	1 000 pieces	4 148
	6	1 000 pieces	7 096
	7	1 000 pieces	3 372
	8	1 000 pieces	4 704
	GROUP II B		
	26	1 000 pieces	4 604
Philippines	GROUP I B		
	6	1 000 pieces	738
	8	1 000 pieces	221
Singapore	GROUP I B		
	7	1 000 pieces	1 283
Thailand	GROUP I B		
	5	1 000 pieces	416
	6	1 000 pieces	417
	7	1 000 pieces	653
	8	1 000 pieces	416
	GROUP II B		
26	1 000 pieces	633	

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Third country	Category	Unit	Community quantitative limits
			2004
Vietnam	GROUP I B		
	4	1 000 pieces	1 064
	5	1 000 pieces	811
	6	1 000 pieces	757
	7	1 000 pieces	1 417
	8	1 000 pieces	3 286
	GROUP II B		
	12	1 000 pairs	3 348
	13	1 000 pieces	1 024
	15	1 000 pieces	329
	18	tonnes	385
	21	1 000 pieces	2 235
	26	1 000 pieces	209
	31	1 000 pieces	1 869
	68	tonnes	156
	76	tonnes	532
	78	tonnes	371

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## ANNEX VIII

## REFERRED TO IN ARTICLE 7

## Flexibility provisions

The attached table indicates for each of the supplier countries listed in column 1 the maximum amounts which, after advance notification to the Commission, it may transfer between the corresponding quantitative limits indicated in Annex V in accordance with the following provisions:

- advance utilisation of the quantitative limit for the particular category established for the following quota year shall be authorised up to the percentage of the quantitative limit for the current year indicated in column 2; the amounts in question shall be deducted from the corresponding quantitative limits for the following year,
- carry-over of amounts not utilised in a given year to the corresponding quantitative limit for the following year shall be authorised up to the percentage of the quantitative limit for the year of actual utilisation indicated in column 3,
- transfers from categories 1 to categories 2 and 3 shall be authorised up to the percentages of the quantitative limit to which the transfer is made indicated in column 4,
- transfers between categories 2 and 3 shall be authorised up to the percentages of the quantitative limit to which the transfer is made indicated in column 5,
- transfers between categories 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 shall be authorised up to the percentages of the quantitative limit to which the transfer is made indicated in column 6,
- transfers into any of the categories in Groups II or III (and where applicable Group IV) from any of the categories in Groups I, II or III shall be authorised up to the percentages of the quantitative limit to which the transfer is made indicated in column 7.

The cumulative application of the flexibility provisions referred to above shall not result in an increase in any Community quantitative limit for a given year above the percentage indicated in column 8.

The table of equivalence applicable to the abovementioned transfers is given in Annex I.

Additional conditions, possibilities for transfers and notes are given in column 9 of the table.

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1. COUNTRY	2. Advance utilisation	3. Carry-over	4. Transfers from cat 1 to cats 2 and 3	5. Transfers between cats 2 and 3	6. Transfers between cats 4, 5, 6, 7, 8	7. Transfers from Groups I, II, III to Groups II, III, IV	8. Maximum increase in any cat.	9. Additional conditions
Belarus	5 %	7 %	4 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	13,5 %	With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V. For Group I categories the limit in column 8 is 13 %
Serbia	5 %	10 %	12 %	12 %	12 %	12 %	17 %	With regard to column 7, transfers can be made from any category in Groups I, II and III to Groups II and III.

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▼ M26**Flexibility provisions for quantitative restrictions referred to in Appendix C to Annex V**

1. Country	2. Advance utilisation	3. Carry-over	4. Transfers between categories 156, 157, 159 and 161	5. Transfers between other categories	6. Maximum increase in any category	7. Additional conditions
China	1 %	3 %	1,5 %	6 %	14 %	Further amounts may be authorised by the Commission in accordance with the procedure set out in Article 17(2) up to:  Column 2: 5 %  Column: 7 %

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)
Pakistan	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	With regard to Column 4 transfers may be made between categories 1, 2 and 3. Further amounts may be authorised by the Commission in accordance with the procedure set out in Article 17(2) up to 4 000 tonnes (2 000 tonnes for any particular category).
Peru	5 %	9 %	11 %	11 %	11 %	11 %	n.a.	Transfers may be made between categories 1, 2 and 3 up to 11 %.
Philippines	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	
Singapore	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	
South Korea	1 %	2 %	0 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	n.a.	Further amounts may be authorised by the Commission in accordance with the procedure set out in Article 17(2) up to: Column 2: 5 % Column 3: 7 %
Taiwan	5 %	7 %	0 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	12 %	
Thailand	5 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	7 %	n.a.	
Uzbekistan	5 %	7 %	4 %	4 %	4 %	5 %	13,5 %	With regard to column 7, transfers can also be made from and to Group V. For Group I categories the limit in column 8 is 13 %.
Vietnam	5 %	7 %	0 %	0 %	7 %	7 %	17 %	With regard to column 7, transfers can be made from any category in Groups I, II, III, IV and V to Groups II, III, IV and V.

n.a. = not applicable

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COUNTRY	Advance utilisation	Carry-over	Transfers between cats 156, 157, 159 and 161	Transfers between other categories	Maximum increase in any cat.	Additional conditions
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
China	1 %	3 %	1,5 %	6 %	14 %	Further amounts may be authorized by the Commission in accordance with the procedure set out in Article 17(2) up to: Column 2: 5 % Column 3: 7 %

n.a. = not applicable

▼ **M32***Appendix to Annex VIIIa***Flexibility provisions Hong Kong**

1. Country	Group	Category	2. Advance utilisation
Hong Kong	Group I	2, 2 A	3,25 %
		3, 3 A, 4, 7, 8	3,00 %
		5	3,75 %
		6, 6 A	2,75 %
	Group II	13, 21, 68, 73	3,50 %
		12, 16, 18, 24, 26, 32, 39, 77	4,25 %
		13 S, 31, 68 S, 83	4,50 %
		27, 29, 78	5,00 %
	Group III	all categories	5,00 %

1. Country	Group	Category	3. Carry-over
Hong Kong	Group I	2, 2 A, 3, 3 A	3,75 %
		4	3,25 %
		5	3,00 %
		6, 6 A, 7, 8	2,50 %
	Group II	13, 13 S, 21, 73	3,00 %
		18, 68, 68 S	3,50 %
		12, 31	4,50 %
		24, 26, 27, 32, 39, 78	5,00 %
		16, 29, 77, 83	5,50 %
	Group III	all categories	5,50 %.

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Supplier country	Group I	Group II	Group III	Group IV	Group V
Belarus		1,20 %	4,00 %	4,00 %	4,00 %
Uzbekistan	0,35 % <sup>(1)</sup>	1,20 %	4,00 %	4,00 %	4,00 %

<sup>(1)</sup> Except for category 1: 2005: %.

Supplier country	Group I	Group IIA	Group IIB	Group III	Group IV	Group V
Vietnam	1,0 %	5,0 %	2,5 %	10,0 %	10,0 %	10,0 %

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